"All the News That's Fit to Print."

The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Fair and cold today; tomorrow, fair and colder; northwest winds.
Temperature yesterday—Max. 26, min. 32.
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FRENCH FINANCING HELD UP IN CABINET; LEFT SEEKS POWER

Doumer Sets Tuesday for a Decision, While Nation Talks of Briand's Defeat.

SOCIALISTS HAVE A PROJECT

Indications Are That They Are Moving to Resume Office Under Herriot.

CAPITAL REPORTED FLEEING

Wall Street Banker Says French Accounts Growing Abroad—'Bootlegging' in Stocks.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Dec. 25.—Once more an open crisis in the discussion of the financial situation has been postponed. The Cabinet met this morning for three hours and discussed in detail Finance Minister Doumer's proposals for balancing the budget, but adjourned a final decision until Tuesday morning.

About their deliberations the greatest secrecy is being maintained, but the fact of the adjournment of the decision in itself is regarded as sufficient proof that an agreement was found difficult, if not impossible.

"By Tuesday we shall have finished," M. Doumer said as he left the Elysée Palace, but whether that means that between now and Tuesday he will have met the demands of his radical opponents in the Cabinet, or will have accepted defeat, it is still impossible to determine. Each side is prophesying according to its hopes. If the former should prove to be the case, then M. Briand will have won one of his most difficult victories. If it is the latter, then he and his whole Cabinet will be forced to resign, for the Premier made it clear when he asked M. Doumer's collaboration that he would not again consent to remake his Cabinet, as he did when M. Loucheur was defeated.

Differ on Two Subjects.

As has been pointed out in these cables, there are two subjects which cause the difference of opinion within the Cabinet. They are the Finance Minister's intention to use the 3,000,000,000 francs voted by Parliament two weeks ago for the purpose of meeting budgetary expense instead of devoting them to the purpose originally envisaged, or repaying the Bank of France new advances to the State, and the amount of increase which M. Doumer proposes to make on the sales and turnover tax. Radical members of the Cabinet, especially the Minister of the Interior, M. Chautemps, as well as M. Daladier, a close supporter of Herriot, and the Left bloc, are opposed to these two methods of meeting the situation. They are fortified in their attitude by the action of the Left parties in getting together on a financial program of their own. As the spokesmen of their parties within the Cabinet, they are under orders to oppose the Doumer proposals, and if their opposition is carried to the extent of preventing an agreement and forcing the Cabinet's resignation, it will be because the reformed Left believes it is strong enough numerically, and with its new financial program, to take up again the government, with probably M. Herriot once more as Premier.

During the next three days, while Parliament is in vacation, the situation is liable to have many changes. But it is apparent that the Left parties have for good or ill got together again on a program which the Socialists will support, and in the Chamber at least they are strong enough at any given moment, on any subject they choose, to defeat the Government if it is their serious intention to seek to resume office and try to put their program through. In this they are all the more liable to agree, because their proposals avoid the creation of any new taxation. All they seek to do is to expand the application of the income tax and some other forms of taxation without increasing the amount, to make more rigorous the application of existing taxes and make an economical expenditure of a further 1,000,000,000 francs.

This bill, which is backed by Vincent Auriol for the Socialists, by ex-Minister Dumesnil for the Radical Socialists and by M. Chabrun for the Republicans, will be presented to the Chamber as soon as it meets and thus be ready for discussion as a counter-project if and when the Government presents its plans. Whether its provisions will be sufficient to meet the situation, and whether its backers will be able to obtain public confidence, are matters which must be left to the future.

Senate Is Critical.

Their past record is not so good, either in the matter of the collection of taxation or in economy, as to justify great pretensions, and there is this also to be considered that the Senate has shown by the election of M. Lacroix and M. Chéron to head the Finance Commission that its disposition is to be critical on all proposals from the Herriotists and the Socialists.

There is still, of course, the chance that M. Briand and M. Doumer will succeed, even though their chances are precarious. It is prophesied by some that if the clash within the Cabinet does not in itself prove fatal it will come in the Chamber during the discussion

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When you think of Writing
Think of Whiting.—Advt.

Loyal to One Family 98 Years, Servant Dies at Age of 110

PAU, FRANCE, Dec. 25 (AP).—The palm for span of life and length of service goes to "Nava Carlotte, born in Mexico in 1815, died Christmas Day at the Village of Escout."

At the age of 110 years she was still serving as a domestic in the household of descendants of the family for which she originally worked. She entered the service of this family in Mexico in 1827, followed its members to France and remained with them until her peaceful end.

MORGENTHAU BOAT TOSSED IN WILD GALE

Son of Former Envoy Tells of Party's Escape in Gulf of Corinth.

HAD NO FOOD OR WATER

Parents Braved Rain and Hail, He Says, While in Rocky Cave Off Wind-Swept Coast.

Henry Morgenthau, former American Ambassador to Turkey, Mrs. Morgenthau and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau Jr. were nearly lost in a small boat in a storm in the Gulf of Corinth recently, and their friends here heard the story of their escape yesterday from Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau Jr., who returned on the Leviathan last Monday. Mr. Morgenthau Sr. and Mrs. Morgenthau are in Palestine and thence will continue a trip around the world.

Henry Morgenthau Jr., at his home at 35 West Eighty-first Street, said it was just a month ago, on Thanksgiving, that their party was caught in their small boat in the middle of the Gulf of Corinth and buffeted about for hours before they decided to make for shelter.

They found themselves on a lonely, bleak stretch of shore. They were without food or water. They were drenched by rain and pelted by hail. They were unsheltered from the terrific storm which swept over the lower part of Europe, which caused enormous damage at sea and along the waterfront, and which took a toll of sixty-five lives at Athens.

The elder Mr. and Mrs. Morgenthau went through the experience with fortitude and were none the worse from their hardship. Their son and daughter-in-law likewise suffered no ill effects.

Passed Night in Orphanage.

"We were going from Corinth to Itea on the other side of Mount Parnassus—the way you go to Delphi," said Mr. Morgenthau. "We had spent the night before at the Near East Relief Orphanage. If we had proceeded the usual way to Itea we would have been compelled to make a circuit and go back by way of Athens.

"The Greek Government, learning of my father's intention to make the trip, offered to place a torpedo boat at his disposal to take us across the Gulf of Corinth. But when the time came to dispatch the torpedo boat it was found to be out of commission and a Government tender was placed at our disposal instead.

"The auxiliary tender was a boat of about sixty-five feet. Her captain was a skillful navigator and the boat was quite sturdy but not large enough to weather a severe storm.

"We sailed from Corinth on Thanksgiving morning at 10 o'clock and expected to cross the Gulf of Corinth, forty-five miles, within three hours. Ordinarily we should have landed at Itea by 1 o'clock that afternoon, and we fully expected to, because it was sunny weather when we started.

"We were in the middle of the Gulf of Corinth when the sun was wiped out by rapidly gathering storm clouds. Within a few minutes we were struck by a gale—the same that swept the north shores of the Mediterranean and most of Southern Europe a month ago.

"The captain of the tender came down to see my father. He was concerned for the safety of his boat and the party on board.

"'What shall I do?' he asked my father.

"'You're the captain of the boat, and we trust to you,' replied my father.

"'But I'm under your instructions,' exclaimed the captain, 'and I come to ask whether you wish me to proceed or to seek shelter.'"

Greek Captain Seeks Shelter.

Mr. Morgenthau Sr. told the captain to use his own judgment, and if the storm became too violent for the boat to proceed with safety to try for a

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'DAWN FISH' FOSSIL THROWS NEW LIGHT ON ORIGIN OF MAN

Primitive Vertebra, More Than 50,000,000 Years Old, Is Found in Vermont.

THE FIRST OF ITS KIND

Scale of the Earliest Chordate, Size of the Head of a Match, Is Dug Up.

NOW IN PRINCETON MUSEUM

Dr. Howell's Discovery Extends History of Man's Predecessors Back Millions of Years.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., Dec. 25.—Professor B. F. Howell of the Department of Geology at Princeton will announce to the Paleontological Society at New Haven next week, it was learned today, the discovery of the first fossil of a vertebrate of the Cambrian period of geological history, which extends backward millions of years the history of man's predecessors.

The fossil is that of the scale of a primitive fish, the earliest chordate—the primitive form of the vertebrate—and as such is said to be, if not the direct antecedent, at least the earliest known species of the branch of this original antecedent.

The fossil has been named "Eoicthys Howelli," or "Howell's Dawn Fish," in honor of its discoverer. It is hardly larger than the head of a match. It was found by Professor Howell and Professor Charles Schuchert of the Department of Geology at Yale, at St. Albans, Franklin County, Vt., last Summer, on the final day of a field expedition which was one of a series conducted throughout thirteen years by Professor Howell, in an effort to find a fossil of a vertebrate in the earliest period of the Paleozoic era. Heretofore only the fossil of marine invertebrates and plants of a low order had been found in Cambrian rocks. Professor Howell dug up the fish scale with the fossils of trilobates, primitive shrimp-like creatures, and brachiopods, early types of shell animals, which were said to be unquestionably marine organisms of fifty to one hundred million years ago.

Corroborated by Dr. Brant.

Professor Howell did not know the nature of his find until he returned to Princeton and placed the fossil of the fish scale under a microscope and studied it. There he saw the significance of the discovery. Dr. William L. Brant, Director of the Park Museum of Providence, R. I., corroborated Professor Howell's description of it and named it in his honor. The fossil, which is described as a fish plate, is now in the Princeton Museum of Paleontology, in Guyot Hall.

Evidences of chordata have been found in every geological period except the Cambrian, which is the earliest period during which a connected and orderly assemblage of fossil forms has been exhibited in rock strata. For many years scientists believed chordata existed in that period, but none was able to find evidence of them until Professor Howell unearthed the fish plate, and he collected 40,000 or 50,000 fossils during the thirteen years he sought the chordate.

In the Devonian period, the age preceding the formation of coal deposits, fish were the dominant species, according to the fossils which have been found, and it is called the age of fish. A few chordata were found in deposits of the Silurian period, which preceded the Devonian and which is the age of invertebrates. In 1893, however, some fish plates were found of the Ordovician, or lower Silurian, period, and then scientists began to hope that evidence of chordata would be found in the preceding Cambrian period. Professor Howell's discovery is the first to make this hope realized.

Professor Howell said the fish plate he found corresponds to a scale on the extant species of fish. Dr. Bryant described it as being part of the armor which probably defended the head and foretrunk of some hitherto unknown species of fish.

Indicates Salt Water Origin.

This discovery may throw more light, it was said, on scientific belief as to the origin and early habitat of the fish. Hitherto it has been generally held that fish had their origin in fresh water deposits and that in course of time some were washed into the sea. The reason

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Ex-Kaiser Preaches a Christmas Sermon, After Distributing Gifts to the Poor of Doorn

DOORN, Holland, Dec. 25 (AP).—Gales which continued unabated today did not interfere with the former German Emperor's Christmas festivities. They began in the great hall of the chateau this morning with a sermon by William, who, with black skull cap protecting his head from drafts, discoursed on the Nativity and a just peace before an audience which included his wife, Princess Hermine, and her children. One of the guests later said that William delivered his sermon with the gestures of a dramatic actor.

The invited guests included members of the Dutch nobility, the Chief of the Dutch gendarmes and the staff of the former Emperor's court, from the highest official to the lowliest servant, all of whom stood and sang a hymn.

At 5 o'clock in the evening, in the uniform of a Prussian General, William, accompanied by his wife, visited the quarters of the servants and retainers and distributed gifts. Tonight in the grand hall the couple sat on a throne, behind which was the statue of Frederick the Great, and William directed the lighting of the Christmas trees and personally distributed gifts to the children, his guests, and Princess Hermine, she receiving a traveling case equipped with toilet articles. The celebration ended by all joining in a hymn.

The former War Lord cut his Christmas tree with his own axe. For several days he was busy distributing gifts, each including a signed photograph, to the poor families of the village. Some of them also received consignments of wood chopped by William on his estate.

Radio to Link the Old and New Worlds In an Exchange of New Year's Programs

An international exchange of radio programs will be attempted New Year's night through the cooperation of Station WJZ of the Radio Corporation of America, the British Broadcasting Company and radio broadcasters in Germany.

It is planned to open the program about 6 P. M., Eastern Standard Time, on Friday, at which time the chimes in the tower of Parliament and the gong of Big Ben will be radioed to America for rebroadcasting by WJZ and a chain of stations extending across the continent.

Other features of the program will be John McCormack, tenor; Lucrezia Bori, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company; the United States Marine Band, the Shannon Quartet, Neapolitan Trio, Eastman Symphony Orchestra, Florentine String Quartet and the Victor Concert Orchestra. Broadcasting will continue until 11 o'clock.

The broadcasters will be WJZ, New York; WRC, Washington; WGY, Schenectady; KYW, Chicago; KDKA, Pittsburgh; KFKX, Hastings, Neb.; WBZ, Springfield; KOA, Denver, and KGO, Oakland, Cal. These transmitters will be connected to the New York microphone by land wires or short wave lengths.

The program, according to General James A. Harbord, President of the Radio Corporation of America, is intended as a world-wide demonstration of radio communication and radio's possibilities in the international field. For the gathering of technical data as to reception conditions throughout the world, official "listening posts" will be established throughout the United States and in such points as London, Paris, Berlin, Rome, Warsaw, Honolulu and Tokio.

DESTROYERS SENT TO TROUBLED CHINA

Six American Craft Take Marines From Manila—More to Follow Tomorrow.

WASHINGTON IS CONCERNED

Sees Possible Clash if Soviet Support of Feng Causes New Trouble With Japan.

MANILA, Saturday, Dec. 26 (AP).—Six destroyers of the Forty-third Division departed from here for China today with a company of marines.

Another company of marines will leave for China tomorrow on the transport Chaumont.

Crisis in China Worries Washington.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The situation in China is regarded with serious concern in Washington despite the fact that the latest cables to the State Department tonight from Minister John A. MacMurray advise Secretary Kellogg of the reopening of the international rail line between Peking and Tientsin, and the news that destroyers and Marines left Manila for China today.

There has also been slight improvement, the department was advised, in the local situation in Tientsin, which now is in possession of Marshal Feng, the "Christian General," whose forces have been equipped with Russian Soviet material and who is clearly shown by official advices to have been receiving moral and physical support from Moscow.

It is an open secret, however, that Soviet influence has been gaining in China, and has been seeking to defeat the efforts of the United States and European powers to keep China intact in the sovereignty to which the powers pledged themselves in the Nine-Power Treaty, which was negotiated at the Washington Arms Conference of 1921-22.

It is not the immediate situation in China—aside from the protection of lives and property—that occasions so much concern in Administration circles as it is the possibility of more serious developments in the complex three-cornered civil war between the warring Tuchuns now in progress, mainly between the forces of Feng and Chang Tso-lin, and the possibility that events may suddenly take a more serious turn and precipitate a Russian threat for Japan in Manchuria.

Consequently the situation is being most closely watched, not only by the United States and Japan but also by the European powers interested in the Pacific and the protection of their legitimate rights and interests in China.

Moscow, in seeking an outlet to the Pacific, is credited, in some confidential dispatches, with expecting to gain by the upset at Tientsin.

Should the capture of Tientsin by Feng result in an attempt on the part of the Communists to control a port on the Gulf of Pechili, twenty-five miles away, a delicate situation will develop.

Navy Has Full Power to Act.

The dispatch of destroyers and marines from Manila to China had not been officially reported to the Navy Department tonight, but occasioned no surprise in view of the situation. It was not interpreted as presaging any immediate trouble, but regarded mainly as a precautionary measure for the protection of American lives and property.

Admiral Clarence S. Williams, Commander-in-Chief of naval forces in the Far East, has wide discretionary authority to dispose of his vessels in accordance with the needs of the situation.

Two days ago Admiral Williams sent a message to the Navy Department, stating that he intended to send a division of destroyers from Manila to replace a division serving around Shanghai. Whether the Forty-third Division, which has just been sent from Manila, is intended for such replacement or is to supplement the units in Chinese waters is not known at the Navy Department.

The Forty-third Division is commanded by Commander Guy E. Baker and comprised the Peary, flagship, Stewart, Pope, Truxtun, Pillsbury and John D. Ford.

The United States has maintained a regiment of infantry at Tientsin since 1912, and other powers signatory to the Boxer Protocol of 1901 have contingents in the international force stationed in China for the primary purpose of keeping the railway open from Peking to the sea.

TIENTSIN, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Kuominchun (National People's Army) when it took over control of this city yesterday closed two days of hectic events, includ-

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MYSTERY SHOTS KILL WIFE, HURT HUSBAND

Couple Attacked in Vestibule of Home by Assailant, Who Fires and Runs.

GRUDGE HELD TO BE CAUSE

But Bronx Tailor Denies He Had Enemies—District Attorney Scouts Robbery Motive.

An unidentified assailant, whose motive is a mystery to the police, opened fire with a pistol on Samuel Stein, 58 years old, and his wife, Fannie, 53 years old, as they were about to enter their home at 1,064 Cauldwell Avenue, the Bronx, shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning. They were taken to the Lincoln Hospital, where Mrs. Stein, who had a bullet in her left temple, died six hours later. Stein, who was wounded in the right shoulder, will recover, it was said last night.

An investigation was conducted by District Attorney John E. McGeehan of the Bronx and detectives from the Morrisania and Simpson Street Stations. Mr. McGeehan said that he was convinced that robbery had not been the motive and that he believed the shooting was the result of a grudge which some one held against Stein. In the hospital, however, Stein denied all knowledge of any enemies.

Stein is the proprietor of a tailor and fur shop on the ground floor of the Cauldwell Avenue address. The building is a new six-story apartment house, built in the form of a U, with a private entrance to Stein's apartment from the middle courtyard.

Hears Wife Scream.

Mr. and Mrs. Stein went to a wedding in a public hall on Fifteenth Avenue, Brooklyn, on Christmas Eve and it was 3:40 o'clock Christmas morning when they reached the Bronx.

They took a Boston Road trolley car and leaving it at 166th Street, walked around the corner to their home. Stein preceded his wife into a private vestibule opening into their apartment and as he was unlocking the inside door he heard his wife scream, "Sam, Sam."

The tailor turned and saw a man with a slouch hat standing about twenty feet away in the courtyard firing a pistol. As the tailor wheeled about and ran toward his wife, she fell with a bullet in her temple. A second shot went wild and a third struck Stein in the shoulder. As the pair fell, the assailant ran with the pistol still in his hand.

Patrolman Walsh of the Morrisania Station heard the firing, but by the time he arrived the murderer had disappeared in the darkness. He called an ambulance and the tailor and his wife were treated by Dr. Schwartz.

Questioned at the hospital by Detectives McCartin, Schaedel and Barry of the Morrisiana Station, Stein said that the attack had taken place so suddenly, and the light had been so dim that he was unable to describe the assailant.

The tailor believed, according to the police, that he and his wife had been either the victims of mistaken identity or of some late reveler.

Stein did not believe the shooting could have been due to an attempt at robbery. He had nothing on his person of value except a plain gold ring, he said, and never carried more than a small amount of money.

The shooting was later reported at the Simpson Street Station by a taxicab chauffeur, who said that he had been driving past the Cauldwell Avenue house when he heard the firing. A man ran out and hailed him, he said. But the chauffeur declared he had been alarmed and had increased his speed. He said he noted that the man ran north for a block on Boston Road and then disappeared.

Friends Are Questioned.

Harry Stein of 1,188 Fulton Street, the Bronx, the tailor's son, gave District Attorney McGeehan the names of two close friends of his father, who were later questioned with a view to establishing a possible motive for the attack.

Mr. McGeehan also questioned twelve other friends and relatives, but was unable to gain any important information.

It was said by Mr. McGeehan that his investigation indicated that the man had lain in wait for the couple after having carefully selected a vantage point inside the courtyard, where he would be partially concealed from persons on the street and yet have a clear view of his victims.

PINEHURST, N. C.—Meet old friends in friendly holiday spirit of Carolina Hotel. Reservations NOW.—Advt.

CITY OPENS ITS HEART FOR HOLIDAY CHEER TO THE POOR AND ILL

Pours Out Christmas Gifts to Inmates of Hospitals and Institutions.

ELKS GIVE $75,000 PARTY

Bowery Habitues Dine in State —Disabled War Veterans' Burden Lightened.

ORPHANS GET BIG DINNER

Santa Claus Busy in Every Borough —Poor Children Guests of Navy on Battleships.

Santa Claus made his rounds yesterday in a city that glowed with the spirit of Christmas, and the scope of the celebration by the happy millions was greater, more spontaneous, more heart-warming than any since the days before the war.

Everybody seemed to be happy. Down in dark rooms in dismal houses joy swept in on the wings of laughter, and seamed faces lifted and worries were gone. Bulging stockings, glittering trees and shrill bursts of juvenile gladness proved that when, in the silent night, the kindly gentleman from the North had ridden the skies his sleigh had been heaped and heaped and heaped with toys.

One could fairly feel Christmas in the very air—not too warm, not too mild, and with fitful flurries of snow. In the streets, too, were evidences of the day—in the proud appearance of wearable presents, in the bright eyes and the pleasure-flushed faces.

Holiday Cheer for the Poor.

Throughout the town there were free turkey or chicken dinners, big fir trees and volunteer Santas for the needy. Scores of agencies, private and public, united to see that no one was overlooked. Piles of candy, mountains of playthings and tons of cakes and pies were produced by "cold" New York for its poor or orphaned children. In every hospital there were special fêtes and parties for the sick, and again the tiny ones in Bellevue outdid all others in their wild enthusiasm for the entertainment.

In all churches there were appropriate ceremonials, from midnight masses in the Roman Catholic edifices to special services, with elaborate musical programs, in Protestant churches. The attendance at the services was unusually large. At the midnight service in St. Patrick's Cathedral 7,500 worshippers were present, while about 2,000 heard Bishop William T. Manning deliver a plea for American entry into the World Court at the 11 o'clock service in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

One of the biggest parties of the day was that prepared by New York Lodge No. 1 of the Elks at the clubhouse in West Forty-third Street. A tree twenty-five feet high was reared in the lodge room on the third floor and in great bundles were clothes and toys. The fraternal organization voted $75,000 to cover the cost of its party and every cent was spent.

Wives and children of unemployed and of men in asylums or penal institutions, as well as widows and orphans, shared in the Elks' bounty. Three thousand bags were distributed, each containing a sweater, a coat, a dress or a suit, two pairs of stockings, a cap, a doll or other toy, candies, biscuits, cakes and fruit. The bag of necessities, given this year for the first time, supplanted the basket of food which the organization had given for the last nine years. Last year some of the "needy" ones drove up to the club building in taxicabs to get the baskets.

Five Thousand Ask for Aid.

While only 3,000 bags were given out, about 5,000 persons appeared for aid. A committee of Elks served coffee and sandwiches to the waiting ones and the Town Hall, directly across the street, was thrown open as a waiting place for the women and children. After the children had received their presents they sat around the lodge room and enjoyed a vaudeville show by stage children. Mrs. Mary Thorne directed this part of the program.

Good as the show was, something better followed—the advent of Santa himself. Bill Hartman, 67 years old, veteran actor, appeared in the red suit

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20,200,000 Autos in Nation, 1,500,000 in State; A Million Cars Were Scrapped Last Year

Figures made public yesterday by Motor Magazine reveal that more than 20,200,000 motor vehicles were registered in this country in 1925, an increase of 2,132,758 in a year, with more than 1,500,000 in operation in this State. Of the total number of vehicles registered, 17,658,491 were passenger cars. More than 1,000,000 motor vehicles were scrapped in the country in the past year.

It was the second largest numerical gain in motor vehicle registration since the automobile and motor truck came into general use. The record year was 1923, when the registration increased 3,012,888 over the highest year before. The increase that year, however, was offset by the 1925 totals through the discarding of so many vehicles in the last twelve months.

The increase of 204,000 automobiles and motor trucks in this State in the last year brought the total of motor vehicles in use in New York up to three-fourths as many as are in use in all Europe.

California ranks second in the number of automobiles and motor trucks registered in 1925. The gain in this State was 13.9 per cent. for the year, but only 9.3 per cent. in California, as compared with 20.1 in the preceding year. California has 1,444,000 automobiles and other motor vehicles.

There are 1,400,000 vehicles in use in Ohio, 1,357,000 in Pennsylvania, 1,266,000 in Illinois, and all the other States are below the 1,000,000 mark. Florida, with 291,400 vehicles, in the last year experienced an increase of 50.1 per cent. This does not include the thousands of cars being operated in the State bearing licenses issued in other States. Washington, D. C., had the smallest increase in registration in 1925—3.1 per cent.

Harvard Hockey Star Rescues 2 Small Boys From Drowning

BROOKLINE, Mass., Dec. 25 (AP).—William M. Austin, Harvard senior and hockey star, prevented a Christmas drowning tragedy here today [illegible] Joseph [illegible]gan, 8, and his brother, Francis, 12, who had broken through thin ice in the centre of Leverett Pond.

Austin cut his face and legs on the ice when he pulled out Joseph, but went after Francis and brought him ashore with the aid of Gene McNamara of Brookline. Both boys will recover.

M'LAUGHLIN DELAYS HIS REPLY ON POLICE

He Spends Part of Christmas in Consulting Friends About Accepting Leadership.

PENSION INQUIRY LOOMING

Return of Captain Stephenson to Force Foreshadows It—Cuvillier Raps Hylan.

George V. McLaughlin, State Superintendent of Banks, and choice of Mayor-elect James J. Walker for the position at the head of the Police Department, did not yesterday, as expected, make known to Mr. Walker whether he would accept the appointment as successor to Commissioner Richard E. Enright which has been offered to him.

Mr. McLaughlin came over to Manhattan from his home in Brooklyn and talked with some friends, whose advice he has sought on the serious decision he will have to make within the next twenty-four hours. Mayor-elect Walker has made it clear to him that he must decide this week.

The Mayor-elect was not accessible to reporters yesterday. He spent his day quietly with Mrs. Walker and some personal friends. There is reason to believe that he and Mr. McLaughlin were in communication during the afternoon, and it is expected that the Mayor-elect will hear Mr. McLaughlin's decision today.

If Mr. McLaughlin should consent to become the Police Commissioner in the Walker Administration, there is reason to believe that one of the first things he will look into will be the administration of the police pension fund. The reinstatement of Captain John T. Stephenson, who was under fire in the [illegible] investigation, and who has twice been dismissed from the department, placing him in line for a pension, and the report that some twenty-five other ex-members of the force, whom it would be within the power of Commissioner Enright and Mayor Hylan to put in the way of a pension, are applicants for restoration, has brought that feature of departmental administration prominently to the attention of the incoming city régime.

Mayor-elect Walker received a letter from the New York Board of Trade and Transportation yesterday, urging the appointment of Harry B. Chambers as counsel of the Board of Transportation at the expiration of the term of William G. Fullen, the present counsel, which will end on June 30, 1926. Mr. Chambers has been Chairman of the Committee on Legislation of the Board of Trade and Transportation.

Assemblyman Louis A. Cuvillier wrote a letter yesterday to Controller Charles L. Craig, praising the Controller's attitude of determined opposition to the proposal to give Mayor Hylan a pension. Mr. Cuvillier wrote that if the Board of Estimate should grant the Mayor a pension, he would move for a legislative investigation of the New York City pension system.

"If the board grants his petition, the Mayor will receive $5,200 per year, and if he lives seventeen years he will loot the city treasury out of $88,000," Mr. Cuvillier wrote. "He has not been worth to the City of New York 88 cents in point of efficient service."

Silent on Stephenson Case.

General Theodore A. Bingham, who, as Police Commissioner in the McClellan Administration seventeen years ago, dismissed Captain John T. (Peaches) Stephenson from the force for dereliction of duty, refused yesterday to comment on Commissioner Enright's action in restoring Stephenson to his captaincy and assigning him to command the Wadsworth Avenue precinct in Washington Heights.

"It happened such a long time ago," said General Bingham at his suite in

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COAL REGION LOOKS FOR CONFERENCE TO END THE STRIKE

First Request at Parley Here Tuesday Will Be for Resuming Work.

OFFICIAL CALL IS SENT OUT

Various Proposals for Working Agreement to Be Considered at Union League Club.

CHRISTMAS CHEERS MINERS

Starving, Shivering Children Fed and Clothed in Homes of Destitute Strikers.

Special to The New York Times.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 25.—Santa Claus came into the homes of the coal regions in two guises today. In one he was the bearer of food and clothing for the destitute families of striking miners. In the other he was the symbol of hope that their four months' struggle to keep the wolf from the door was practically over.

For the belief, almost reaching a conviction, is held throughout the coal fields tonight that when the sub-committees of miners and operators meet in New York Tuesday afternoon to resume the negotiations broken off at Atlantic City last September, they will take the initial steps toward reaching a working agreement which will set dynamite and pick and shovel at work in the anthracite veins soon after the new year has dawned.

Throughout the day as the Samaritans with baskets of food and clothing went from house to house in cities, towns and hamlets they encountered faces smiling for the first time in weeks, though stomachs might be empty, though bodies shivered in inadequate clothing and heatless rooms.

The miners were not the only ones to be inspired by an unlooked for Christmas cheer. Merchants and shopkeepers as well, those who have seen their customers dwindle to a handful, who had reached the end of the credit they could extend to miners who had spent the last cent drawn from the bank, felt the sun was about to break through the gloomy clouds that had hung over all alike as the strike days grew longer and longer.

A [illegible] Santa Claus.

The Santa Claus who journeyed through the mining hamlets today bore no toys or candy in his pack. But he was welcomed with open arms in the homes of thousands of mine workers, especially in the small towns and the mining patches nestling far from the main roads up and down the valley.

The so-called "coal patches," the small towns between the large urban centres in the anthracite region, have been the chief scenes of destitution and suffering. In these localities there are no diversified industries, mining being the only occupation.

In the larger cities there are silk mills and other industries which give employment to the sons and daughters of miners. The silk mills have been busy lately and the wages of the operatives have gone into the family fund.

There was more than one Santa Claus. A host of those blessed with plenty and not dependent on the mining industry donned, figuratively speaking, the garments of St. Nick and bore packs of warm clothing, shoes and provender to homes in which there were no fuel, bare cupboards, hungry, sad children and brooding fathers and mothers.

These carriers of good cheer began their journeys yesterday afternoon, because they had to reach remote sections of Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties whence had come calls for aid that were urgent. Sickness threatened unless those in want received nourishment at once.

A month ago the youngsters of the region began to fear that there would be no jolly, rubicund Santa Claus this year, no toys or candy. They knew their Santa Claus had barely money for food. They had no stockings to wear, some of them, much less to hang up. And what Santa Claus would come down a chimney to a hearth that had known no fire for months?

But they had the courage of Dad and Buddy who enter the dark pits daily and never know whether they are coming out alive. They made no protest.

Hundreds in Distress.

Lights were out in many of the miners' homes last night when the hundreds of men and women who had volunteered for relief work went about distributing their baskets of groceries, meats, underwear, shoes, overcoats, stockings and hats. For weeks the distress of hundreds of families of strikers in the suburbs and in the towns of Throop, Olyphant, Jessup, Duryea, Old Forge, Carbondale and Peckville, which are in Lackawanna County, had been known and the hearts of the people were touched. Relief funds were started by political organizations, churches, newspapers, firemen and policemen.

Stories of men, women and children actually starving because the strike had left them without food and funds were heard on all sides. Investigation revealed that some of the families were sick or had gone two and three days with little or nothing to eat.

At one home on Christmas Eve in one of the "mining patches" between Throop and Olyphant visited by relief workers eight children and their parents had been without food since Tuesday night. Two of the children were ill and the faces of the others were thinned by the pangs of hunger.

The father, idle since Sept. 1, sat discouraged in the kitchen with his wife. It was the first sad Christmas they had known and when they put their youngters to bed prayers were offered up, the father said, that a Santa Claus would come with food. The relief workers provided sufficient food to last for several days, including two large hams, potatoes, coffee, bread and clothing.

It was nearly midnight when the relief workers arrived at the place and though the children had gone to bed they were immediately awakened to eat a hearty meal.

Firemen and policemen, deeply moved by the suffering going on around them, organized relief corps and with the aid of persons owning automobiles they traveled over the snow-covered and rough roads into the mining towns and "patches" through most of the night, leaving big baskets of food and bundles of clothing in homes that had been reported as emergency cases.

The community chest, which has a special relief fund of $15,000 to care for hunger-stricken families while the mines are idle; the Junior Red Cross, St. Thomas's College and the high schools, all with relief organizations of their own to furnish aid to miners in need, took care of practically all cases that had been brought to their attention.

Suffering in Mining Patches.

Suffering among the families of miners was found most serious in the mining patches. Most of the idle workers have large families and all the men have been idle since the strike began. Many families were found in extremely destitute circumstances. The parents were too proud to make their distress known, and with their children they were found huddling together in fireless homes trying to keep warm. In most of these houses there was not a crust of bread. Mothers and fathers were reluctant to tell of their own suffering, but asked for something for the children. The mine worker loves his family and he will suffer long in silence himself so that his little ones may not know pain.

At Dickson City, where last week scores of the children of strikers crowded into the school buildings hours ahead of time every morning to get warm, many pathetic cases of starving families came to light. Children played about cold homes in thread-worn clothing. Some of them had lost from five to eight pounds in the last month because there had been little food for them.

The splendid work of the charitable organizations and the various relief agencies brought joy today into the hearts of thousands who were sad yesterday. Few of the families in need expected succor, and their faces lighted up when the contents of the baskets were spread before them. This afternoon the children of the miners, wearing clothing that had been brought by the Santa Claus who did not bother with toys, appeared on the streets not afraid of the cold and snow and smiling because they were not hungry. They had tasted nourishing food for the first time in many weeks, and toys did not matter.

They danced around big Christmas trees. In Scranton and in the boroughs and towns of the region the officials had scores of community trees blazing with colored lights and fancy trimmings. Round these children and their parents joined with choirs in singing "Holy Night," "Adeste Fideles" and other Christmas hymns and carols.

Early End of Strike Seen.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—The resumption of negotiations between the anthracite miners and the operators, set for New York City on Tuesday afternoon, is looked on in the hard coal region as an indication of an early end of the strike.

Neither representatives of the operators nor the miners would comment tonight on Mr. Markle's call for a resumption of negotiations. Both parties will be on hand, probably at the Union League Club in New York, on Tuesday for the meeting.

The first move to be made in the conference, it is believed, will be a request by the operators that the miners be allowed to return to work pending negotiations. This request will be based on letters forwarded to President Lewis and Major Inglis of the operators by twenty-seven priests of the anthracite field. The letter urged an immediate resumption of work and arbitration of disputed points. Such a course, the priests said, would have the approval of at least 85 per cent. of the mine workers.

Following the acceptance of this request consideration will be given to peace plans proposed by various organizations and individuals during the course of the suspension. The Pinchot plan of settlement, which would award a modified check-off to the miners and arbitration of wages upward provided the price of coal would not be affected, will be presented by the workers' representatives. The Luzerne County legislator's plan of settlement, which provides, primarily, for a renewal of the expired contract to be effective until Sept. 1, 1926, and negotiations for a long-term contract to follow the renewed agreement, will most likely be presented by the mine owners.

With a meeting of the non-English-speaking priests scheduled in Wilkes-Barre on Wednesday, interest again centres on the clergymen, who a few days ago urged an early end of the strike. The spokesman for the priests declared that "drastic action" would be taken by that body, if necessary, to insure a resumption of mining by the middle of January. What action is contemplated by the clergymen is not known. It is expected that about one hundred priests will attend the meeting.

Should the New York meeting end in a quick agreement it would take until the middle of January at least to get the mines in full operation. After the subcommittee of miners and operators agree on a plan it would have to be approved by the full Scale Committee of the United Mine Workers and then acted on by a convention or a referendum, most likely the former. If a convention is called it would take nearly a week to elect delegates and the convention probably would sit three or four days in debate before ratifying or rejecting the new contract.

The formal call for Tuesday's meeting was sent out today by James A. Gorman, Secretary of the Joint Negotiating Committee, by direction of Mr. Markle.

Mayor's Committee Disbands.

The committee of Mayors and Burgesses of the anthracite region was officially disbanded tonight with the following statement by the Chairman, Mayor Durkan of Scranton:

"With the issuing of the official call for a conference of operators and miners in New York on Tuesday the duties of the Anthracite Executive Committee ceases.

"We wish to acknowledge the kind, courteous, helpful cooperation of Governor Gifford Pinchot, Mayor W. W. Inglis, John L. Lewis and Thomas Kennedy.

"We also desire to express our appreciation of the splendid general newspaper support."

WYOMING VALLEY JUBILANT.

Note of Thanksgiving Added to Church Services.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—Wyoming Valley's celebration of Christmas Day was accentuated today when the mine workers as well as the general public read newspaper dispatches announcing that a resumption of negotiations between miners and operators had been called and that indications for a settlement of the strike were bright.

The news cut through the cloud of gloom that hung over this region and made it one of merry rejoicing in hundreds of homes, despite the fact that the material side of Christmas was rather slim owing to straitened finances.

Not only was the news cause of rejoicing among the mine workers, but business men, bankers and coal operators themselves expressed their pleasure over the favorable turn. In a majority of the churches where Christmas celebrations were held the pastors referred to the hopeful tenor of the dispatches and a note of thanksgiving was added to the services.

Though joy was unrestrained over the news, the climax will not come until the roar of the breaker whistles summons the myriads of men and boys "back to the mines."

There will be only one discordant note—the brays of protest of the mules as they are rounded up and dropped down into the bowels of the earth. For them it will mean that their days of idle luxury are over.

SEE NO LIKELIHOOD OF FUEL SUFFERING

Federal Officials Are Confident Soft Coal and Substitutes Can Meet Demand.

LARGE STOCKS ARE ON HAND

Consumers Are Warned Cold Snap May Catch Them Napping Unless They Stock Up.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Government officials state reports that have reached them give renewed confidence that there will be no general acute suffering by reason of lack of fuel during the Winter, even if a settlement of the anthracite coal strike is delayed, if the State Governments and local organizations educate consumers in the use of substitutes.

Surveys indicate that there will be an ample supply of soft coal, coke and other substitutes at the sources of production. The only worry is over danger of a temporary breakdown of transportation due to storms. But the railroads are operating now on a more efficient basis than ever and are well equipped to face weather emergencies.

There does not seem to be any real fear of the strike spreading to the bituminous fields or that there will be trouble in mining sufficient soft coal to meet any demand which may arise.

So far there have been few complaints received by Government agencies from those using substitutes for anthracite for domestic purposes, and this is considered remarkable in view of the fact that the experiment is being made on a large scale for the first time.

While the long stretch of mild weather has, in the opinion of some officials, prevented suffering through the fuel shortage, it has led consumers to put off laying in considerable stocks of soft coal or substitutes.

Slow in Buying Soft Coal.

The demand on the bituminous fields and on the coke plants has been above normal, but it has not shown the increase that would be found with exceptionally heavy buying for domestic uses. This has led to speculation as to whether a real test has been made of the use of substitutes for anthracite on a large scale.

Nevertheless, the reports received concerning experiments made are taken by officials as confirmatory of their hope that substitutes will serve to avert any very real suffering even when extremely cold weather is faced, should the strike continue.

Data which are being passed around by the coal trade give a part of the picture concerning the attitude of the public in delaying as long as possible the purchase of soft coal in large quantities. These reports cover the conditions up to Dec. 1, but relatively the same conditions have prevailed during the first three weeks of December. One of these statements, dealing with New York City, follows:

"Conditions at New York tidewater at the close of November were about the same as those at the close of October. The market here is governed entirely by the weather, as things now stand, and unless we have some really cold wintry weather we do not anticipate any change in the market this month. The mild weather that has prevailed, while it has not softened prices to any great extent on bituminous run-of-mine steam coal, has seriously affected the screened high volatile coal as well as coke that was shipped down to tidewater for use as substitutes for anthracite, but which did not find the market that was expected on account of the extremely mild weather that has prevailed."

Another report covering the New York City district says:

"The mild weather prevailing during November has substantially relieved the situation in the metropolitan district, with the result that there has been a surplus of soft coal and coke since early in the month. Supplies of anthracite are nearly exhausted and would have been before, had it not been for the policy of consultation maintained generally by the dealers. There have been no difficulties due to the lack of anthracite. This is accounted for partly by the mild weather and partly by the use of substitutes. Local authorities, working through the State Fuel Commission and supported by the retail dealers, have done a great deal of constructive educational work, advising consumers the proper way to use coke and soft coal to obtain the best results."

An unofficial report from Philadelphia stated that dealers in coal who usually have large stocks of anthracite on hand early in December were reluctant to store substitutes.

Newark Educating Consumers.

A Boston report stated that in New England the public was waiting on weather conditions before purchasing the many substitutes that were being offered for anthracite. Manufacturing industries, public utilities and retail dealers were reported as well supplied with bituminous coal.

A report from Newark was among the most optimistic. It said:

"The retail coal industry here is getting along very nicely by supplying substitutes to the trade. There is no reason for any suffering, as there is an ample supply of substitutes to take care of any order in case a cold snap should occur. The City of Newark is conducting an educational campaign throughout the city by having demonstration stations at the fire houses and various other places to show the public how to use soft coal. The public are not as excited as they were in former years during a strike and they seem to be satisfied with the fact that they can burn other than anthracite coal."

Production of bituminous coal during December has been running about 2,000,000 tons a week over production for the corresponding period in 1924. The Bureau of Coal Economics of the National Coal Association estimates production of soft coal for the week ended Dec. 19 at 12,700,000 net tons and makes the comment that "this tonnage, while enormous, is nearly 200,000 tons below the total for the two weeks immediately preceding," for which the output was reported by the United States Bureau of Mines at 12,898,000 net tons and 12,867,000 net tons. The Government is now making a study to determine stocks on hand in different classifications and the result will soon be available.

CHILD CLINGS TO DOLL AS GAS KILLS FAMILY

Neighbors in the tenement at 455 Second Avenue, where Marguerite Jordan, 4 years old, lived in the basement with her parents, saw her yesterday playing with a doll Santa Claus had brought her and heard her say she would take the doll walking as soon as the sun was shining.

Last night Mrs. Bertha Anderson, housekeeper of the tenement, smelled gas from the Jordan flat. She called policemen. They forced the door. The tube conecting the kitchen stove with a jet in the wall had become disconnected. Marguerite's father, Harvey, 50 years old, a laborer; her mother, Katherine, 38, and Marguerite were lying in bed, dead; but Marguerite still held her doll.

FRANK MUNSEY ESTATE PUT AT $40,000,000

Late Publisher Had Spent $20,000,000 in Papers Here, a Friend Says.

The estate of Frank A. Munsey, it was learned yesterday, probably is about $40,000,000. A friend of the publisher quoted him as saying, about a week before the beginning of his fatal illness:

"I came to New York with $40 and I am now worth forty million."

Mr. Munsey spent about $20,000,000 in acquiring and maintaining his New York newspaper properties, according to a friend presumed to know about this phase of his business. He was said to have paid $1,000,000 for the old Daily News, $1,000,000 for The Press, $2,000,000 for The Mail, $2,000,000 for The Globe, $4,000,000 for The Sun (morning and evening) and $4,000,000 for The Herald (including the Evening Telegram and The Paris Herald). This made $14,000,000 and he is said to have invested $6,000,000 more in the conduct of those newspapers, thus making a total investment of $20,000,000.

The Daily News eventually suspended publication. The Press was merged with The Morning Sun, which later was merged with The Herald. The Mail was consolidated with The Evening Telegram, and The Globe was merged with The Evening Sun.

When Mr. Munsey sold The Herald and the Paris Herald to The Tribune, he is said to have received $5,000,000, or $1,000,000 more than he paid for The Herald, Evening Telegram and Paris Herald. This left $15,000,000 as his net investment in the New York newspaper business. It was estimated that The Sun and The Telegram, which Mr. Munsey owned when he died, probably if they were sold would be held at more than $15,000,000, thereby showing a profit to his estate on his newspaper ventures.

The body of Mr. Munsey was removed yesterday from the Cathedral of St. John the Divine to Woodlawn Cemetery to rest in a vault there until Spring. Then it will be taken to the family burial plot in Lisbon Falls, Me.

Mrs. John M. Hyde, sister of Mr. Munsey, who arrived here from St. Petersburg, Fla., too late to attend the funeral service on Thursday, viewed the body yesterday morning in the Chapel of St. Ansgarius in the Cathedral. She was accompanied by her son, Fred Hyde. With other relatives, and with representatives of Mr. Munsey's newspapers, The Sun and The New York Telegram, they followed the body to the cemetery.

SHERIFF BAILED IN LYNCHING

Mississippi Official Faces Trial for "Misdemeanor and Crime."

CLARKSDALE, Miss., Dec. 25 (AP).—Indicted on charges of "failing to return the offender" in connection with lynching of a negro here Saturday night, Dr. S. W. Glass, deposed Coahoma County Sheriff, and three deputies were at liberty tonight on bonds of $1,000 each.

Another true bill charges Dr. Glass with "misdemeanor and crime while an officer." H. H. Hopson is serving as Sheriff during the investigation of the lynching, which will be resumed Tuesday by the Special Grand Jury.

Nine persons have been named in four indictments. M. H. Scott, Lee Matthews and R. A. Frazier are the deputies who are under indictment. J. T. Traynham, Thomas Nicholas, G. O. Cane and H. S. Blockley are in jail awaiting a hearing on murder charges in connection with the slaying of the negro.

TWO MISSING GIRLS FOUND.

Beatrice Thomas Comes Home—Rose Bruscella Was With Friends.

Beatrice Thomas, 14 years old, daughter of Joseph Thomas of 1,404 Lexington Avenue, who was reported missing on Thursday, returned to her home yesterday morning, according to her parents. She had been employed during the holidays in the gift shop of Mrs. Marjorie Oelrichs at 524 Madison Avenue. On Wednesday afternoon she went to visit friends in Astoria and was to have returned that evening. Her father, who was for many years employed by the late Robert D. Wrenn, told the police last night that he feared his daughter had been kidnapped, and a general alarm was sent out by the Missing Persons' Bureau. No explanation of her absence was forthcoming from the family or the police.

Rose Bruscella, 14 years old, of 97 Jackson Avenue, Brooklyn, whose father, Donato, told the police that she left home Thursday, leaving a note which said that she intended to drown herself, has been found at the home of friends in Brooklyn.

WILL CELEBRATE ON LINER.

The American-Hungarian Commerce Chamber to Observe Anniversary.

The American-Hungarian Chamber of Commerce will celebrate its fifteenth anniversary on Jan. 14 on board the French liner Paris, according to a statement issued by the company yesterday.

Many representatives of the financial, industrial and commercial world have accepted invitations. The honorary members are Otto H. Kahn, Frank A. Vanderlip; Governor W. P. G. Harding of the Federal Reserve Bank, United States Minister Theodore Brentano, Colonel Michael Friedsam, the Hungarian Minister to Washington; Count Laszlo Szechenyi and Count Albert Apponyi. Besides an elaborate program, two famous orchestras will play for dancing. The Chairman of the evening is Emil Kiss, New York banker.

EXPLORERS SAIL FOR BRAZIL

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kaempfer to Hunt Specimens of Wild Life.

Emil Kaempfer, accompanied by his wife, sailed this week on the Booth Line steamship Pancras for Pará, Brazil, where they will start on an expedition into the coastal regions to collect sea birds and other forms of life and then proceed to the remote sections of the country to collect specimens of bird and animal life for the American Museum of Natural History.

From the seacoast Mr. and Mrs. Kaempfer will travel by mule pack train to Nova York on the Parnahyba River, a district which has not been entered by collectors for fifteen years. Their final explorations, Mr. Kaempfer said, will be made in the State of Bahia where collections have never been made.

SYRIAN SITUATION CLEARING

Rebels Are Driven From Mount Hermon and Damascus Is Quiet.

BEIRUT, Syria, Dec. 25 (AP).—The general situation in Syria is reported to be improving rapidly. The west slopes of Mount Hermon have been cleared of rebels, and the Damascus zone was quiet today.

Two notorious bandit chiefs, who have been hunted for several years, have been captured near Aleppo.

Queen Margherita Improved.

BORDIGHERA, Italy, Dec. 25 (AP).—The condition of Dowager Queen Margherita has considerably improved. The bulletin issued by the attending physicians says that the pleurisy from which she has been suffering has "sensibly ameliorated."

ANTI-GERMAN WAVE BREAKS OUT IN ITALY

Complaint Over Treatment in South Tyrol Angers Fascist Organ Impero.

IT OUTLINES ITALY'S AIMS

Reports Formation of a 'Brenner Guard' With An Imperialistic Program.

ROME, Dec. 25 (AP).—Reports from Berlin that the German press is displaying dissatisfaction over the treatment of German-speaking inhabitants of South Tyrol by the Italian authorities have given rise to an outbreak of violent anti-German sentiment in Rome. The extreme Fascist newspaper Impero publishes a long leading editorial entitled "Our Instinctive Racial Enemy," in which it outlines the Italian policy to keep control of South Tyrol in perpetuity, and regards Brenner Pass as a sacred natural boundary.

The article, which was published less than a week after ratification by the Chamber of the Treaty of Commerce with Germany, warns Italians against the renewed activities of Germans in the world of commerce, and declares categorically that "Italy will never play second fiddle to Germany again."

The Impero explains that there was some excuse for Italy's taking second place to Germany when Italy was a secondary power, but now, it asserts, Italy as a power of the first order can no longer entertain the idea of being Germany's lieutenant.

The paper goes on to say that Italy's policy toward Germany must embrace the following considerations:

First, that Germany shall be bound to expiate her criminal folly until she has fully repaired the immense damage she has caused.

Second, that Germany may never aspire to the possessions of colonies; if there be land for colonization, it will be for Italy.

Third, that Brenner Pass must be irrevocably Italian—on this point Italy can admit of no discussion.

Fourth, that Austria must be prevented from joining Germany as against Italy.

The Impero reports the organization of a movement by Signor Marinetti, futurist artist, called "The Brenner Guard." The principles of this movement include:

First—The divinity of Italy.

Second—The ancient Romans conquered all the peoples of the earth. The Italian of today is insuperable.

Third—Brenner Pass is not the goal, but the starting point.

Fourth—The most unworthy Italian is worth a thousand foreigners.

Fifth—Italian products are the best in the world.

Sixth—The Italian landscape is the most beautiful in the world.

Seventh—Italy has all rights, since she maintains and shall maintain an absolute monopoly of creative genius.

Eighth—Every foreigner must enter Italy under a religious spell.

The Impero's article ends:

"We occupy Brenner Pass as a legitimate defense, but, above all, because it is our home, whose confines are outlined by nature in an unequivocal manner, even if in the past others have usurped it."

Brenner is the famous mountain pass of Tyrol, which constitutes the shortest route between Central Germany and Italy. It now marks the frontier between Italy and Austria and is one of the great strategic points of Europe.

COST TO RUN NEW ROCHELLE

Expense in 1924 Was $3,868,569—Per Capita Tax, $68,54.

It cost $3,868,569 in 1924 to run the City of New Rochelle, according to figures made public yesterday by the Department of Commerce at Washington. The payments for maintenance and operation of the general departments for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1924, were $2,634,730, or $61.47 per capita. Payments for the operation of public service enterprises were $487; interest on debt, $219,028, and outlays for permanent improvements, $514,324.

The total revenue of the city for 1924 was $3,160,661, or $73.74 per capita. The net indebtedness (funded debt, less sinking fund assets) of New Rochelle on Dec. 31, 1924, was $4,137,251, or $86.52 per capita.

For 1924 the assessed valuation of property in New Rochelle subject to ad valorem taxes for the city corporation was $105,113,940, and the per capita tax levy for the city, State and county was $68.54.

ARMED MEN IN HOLD-UP.

A Store in Manhattan, One in Brooklyn and One in Queens Robbed.

Two armed thieves held up the candy store of Rasmus Hjelle at 1,034 Third Avenue about 10:30 o'clock last night and, after cowing a clerk, rifled the cash register of $800 and escaped in an automobile. A short time later two armed men held up the clerk in a cigar store at 423 Fifth Avenue, Astoria, Queens.

A boy about 17 years old with a handkerchief masking his face and a pistol in his hand walked into a notion store at 167 Bridge Street, Brooklyn, this morning, just after midnight. Menacing the proprietor with the pistol, he took $50 from a cash drawer and ran away.

THREE KILLED AT CROSSING.

Indiana Hunters in Auto Are Struck by a Train.

SCOTTSBURG, Ind., Dec. 25 (AP).—Three hunters are dead here tonight, the result of an interurban train striking their automobile soon after they had started out on a Christmas hunting party today.

The dead were John McWilliams, 21; Earl Burch, 12, and Ward Burch, 26.

The party just had started to the hunting ground when the train, in charge of Oscar Lutz, conductor, struck their automobile, demolishing it. McWilliams was killed almost instantly and Earl Burch died soon after the crash. Ward Burch, his brother, died in a hospital early tonight.

TRAIN KILLS ARCHITECT.

William Normile of New York Slips at Crossing in Binghamton.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP).—William Normile, for twenty years an architect in New York City, was killed today when he stepped into the path of a train on a crossing here.

Mr. Normile designed several skyscrapers and drew plans for the White Plains Court House.

SURVEY SEEKS COST OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES

American Association Figures Indicate Average Per Capita Now Is 56 Cents.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—Library trustees who are interested in knowing what it ought to cost to maintain a public library will find interesting material for study in the figures which will be presented by the survey of American Libraries now being made by the American Library Association.

For several years the association has been urging that $1 annually per capita is the lowest rate with which a city can expect to receive the amount and the kind of service which it ought to have from its public library. The figures that will be published by the survey are not yet completed, but thus far the returns show the average per capita expenditure for public library support to be 56 cents. In the larger cities the average is somewhat higher and in the smaller cities a little lower than this figure, but with slight difference the average applies to cities of 30,000 or 40,000 population up to the largest cities in the country.

These figures illustrate existing conditions in libraries of all degrees of efficiency, high, medium and low. Although the averages include a few libraries which are well above the recommended standard of $1, they include a very much larger number which run very low—some of them as low as 20 cents or even less. The averages, therefore, cannot be taken as a good goal to aim toward.

The libraries which have attained the American Library Association standards of support are still so few in proportion to the whole number of libraries that the low efficiency libraries greatly outnumber those of high efficiency. This statement is not intended to cast discredit on the service that most public libraries are giving. It merely reflects the obvious fact that a city can receive only what it pays for.

That the service a library can give to its community is pretty accurately measured by the amount of money the city gives it, is indicated by some further figures which the survey will present. The number of books borrowed is a very incomplete and unsatisfactory index of a library's service, but it is the only measure which can be represented easily in figures. The figures which have been gathered by the survey reveal an even closer connection than most librarians probably would expect between the amount of money spent for the library and the number of books borrowed by the people. Among 100 libraries, sixteen of the twenty which are highest in amount of money spent are also among the highest twenty in number of books circulated. Of the twenty which are lowest in expenditures, seventeen are among the lowest twenty in circulation.

Librarians, trustees and city officials alike are interested in knowing how much of the library's appropriation should be spent for salaries and how much for books and magazines. The returns thus far show that in the large libraries the salary cost averages 64 per cent. of the whole expenditure, and books about 21 per cent., the remainder going for general maintenance charges. In the smaller libraries the average for salaries is slightly lower, and for books is slightly higher. On this point, as on all others, the returns include a very large number of libraries which are far below all recommended standards. Salary costs are reported as low as 29 per cent., although at the other extreme they run as high as 70 per cent. and above. The amounts spent for books run as low as 11 per cent. and as high as 45 per cent.

JACK FROST JOINS SANTA.

He Brings Lower Temperatures for Large Sections of the Country.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Jack Frost as well as Santa Claus chose Christmas, this year, to make his rounds.

The lowest temperatures of the season were reported to the Weather Bureau tonight from some stations in the North Central States, while considerably colder weather generally was the perpetually spry Jack Frost's Christmas gift throughout the lake region, the great central valley and the interior of the West Gulf States.

Jack Frost found so much to occupy his attention there, what with knocking the mercury down to 10 degrees at Chicago and Fort Wayne, Ind., and even below zero in North Dakota, Manitoba and Northern Ontario, that he ignored sections of the Rocky Mountain and Southern Plateau regions and the southern part of California, where unseasonably warm weather prevailed.

Snow flurries were forecast for tomorrow in Western New York and Western Pensylvania, with fair weather in prospect at all other points east of the Mississippi River for the next forty-eight hours. Even lower temperatures throughout this part of the country also were predicted, and the northern sections east of the Mississippi were warned that the coldest weather of the season was indicated tomorrow night.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP).—Nearly a foot of snow on the ground and the coldest weather of the Winter indicated for tomorrow caused railroad and traction men tonight to put all snow-fighting equipment in operation and to order on duty a large force of men. Absence of high wind, it was said, was the only thing that prevented a serious tie-up. The snow is lightly packed and will drift quickly if the wind increases.

The drop in temperature followed an old-fashioned white Christmas with sunshine at times and a temperature ranging around 25 degrees. Tonight the thermometers began to show increasing cold and the meterologist predicted 10 degrees before morning. He also said the high wind which the transportation men feared might come.

TO FIRE RIFLE 25 MILES.

Still Greater Range Is Expected for Coast Defense Weapon.

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Dec. 25 (AP).—Construction of a special emplacement for the fourteen-inch mobile rifle recently brought here from the East has been started at Fort MacArthur, in preparation for the longest range artillery practice ever held on the Pacific Coast.

The firing will take place next Spring. About ninety days will be required to complete the emplacement. The coast defense weapon has a normal range of twenty-five miles, but an elevation of 100 feet at Fort MacArthur is expected to add several miles to that distance.

AUTOIST SHOOTS POLICEMAN

Glens Falls Patrolman Is Wounded Pursuing Reckless Driver.

GLENS FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP).—John Malan, patrolman, was shot through the wrist tonight as he rode on the running board of an automobile in pursuit of a second car which police said previously had attempted to run down a police sergeant in Hudson Falls.

Edgar Nolan of Fair Haven, Vt., and Clifford Odell of Roslyn, L. I., later were intercepted as they started through Saratoga Springs and returned to Glens Falls under suspicion of having been involved in the affair.

PROROK'S TIN HINAN ATTACKED IN PARIS

The Matin Says Experts Call His Tuareg Queen 'Charming Handful of Bones.'

COUNT REPLIES TO CHARGES

Points Out That the Scientists of the French Academy Accepted Discoveries as Genuine.

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PARIS, Dec. 25.—The Matin prints this morning a long front-page attack on the recent archeological discoveries of Count Byron Kuhn de Prorok in Hoggar.

Referring to the Count as one whose first name "gave promise of romantic exploits," the Matin says he held the centre of the stage for several days when on Dec. 3 he announced to Algerian journalists that he had unearthed the mummy of Queen Tin Hainan and treasures making the tomb of Tut-ankh-amen sink into insignificance. It adds that experts have since decided that "the famous queen" is nothing more than "a charming handful of bones."

Asserting that it is better not to speak of the "stone Libyan Venus" which the Count likewise announced he had found, the Matin says she resembles more a simple "gri" or fetish.

"Upon their first inspection the experts pronounced 'Queen Tin Hinan' to be a poor little Berber Princess of the fourth century after Christ, whose tomb has been known for twenty years, and which the native Tuaregs have scorned to ransack," continues the article.

"But what is even more disturbing in this affair is that a little while after this lovely mirage was lifted Count Byron de Prorok himself dissolved like a phantom. Is he still in France or has he crossed the Atlantic?"

Forty-six cases in which are said to be packed the priceless jewels and treasures found in the Queen's tomb were said by the Count to be on their way to Paris, adds the Matin, but it takes only five days for freight to go from Tamanrasset to Algiers and the cases have not arrived at the latter place as yet.

The Matin prints a photograph of the archeological subject which the Count described as the Libyan Venus.

The Count sailed for New York recently to fill lecture engagements after having formally offered his discoveries to the French Government.

Count de Prorok Replies to Charges.

Count de Prorok, who is in New York at the home of his father-in-law, William F. Kenny, said last night, when told of the Matin's attack on his discoveries, that his finds had been examined by members of the French Academy and that they had agreed that what the Matin called a "charming handful of bones" was indeed the body of Princess Tin Hinan of the Tuareg legends and referred to in Emile Gautier's work on the Sahara.

"The Matin's article," he said, "is almost exactly the same as one printed early in the month in the Temps. However, the treasures we found at Hoggar were examined in Paris by Stephan Gsell, an authority on Northern Africa, M. Chudeau and M. Ben Hazra, all members of the French Academy, and they agreed that our discovery was probably the body of Tin Hinan because the Tuareg legends and Gautier's writings stated that the only known historical tomb in Hoggar was that of Tin Hinan. They mentioned that she was buried at Abelessa, where we found the tomb.

"The objects we brought to Paris were seen by M. Gsell and the others. They pronounced the body to have been that of the Princess in a public communication to the French Academy on Dec. 12, two days before I sailed. It was the next day that M. Gsell in my own home in Paris discovered the date of the tomb by finding four gold pieces in a platter, giving the date of the tomb as the third century A. D.

"In regard to the 'Venus,' it is impossible to fix the date of the object. Different scientists give different opinions. They will study it for another two months before they will venture a positive opinion."

The article in the Temps was printed on Dec. 8, four days before the French Academicians, according to Count de Prorok, published their statement verifying his discovery of Tin Hinan's tomb. He said he could not account for any reason for the Matin printing a similar article except, he said, "that probably what is called a 'sorehead' brought it about." Scientists, he intimated, were not always generous with other scientists.

He said he had brought with him to the United States fifteen bracelets of gold and silver, 300 beads of semi-precious stones, a crystal vase, some earrings, some clothing and some of the sculptured wood of the canopy from Tin Tinan's tomb for exhibition in lectures through which he will attempt to raise money to continue his excavations in Africa. The bracelets, he said, were taken from the arms of the Princess.

He was accompanied on his expedition by Maurice Reygrasse, Governor of the Department of Tebassa, Algeria, who led the party, which included Alonzo Pond and W. Bradley Tyrrell of the Logan Museum of Beloit College, Baron d'Erlanger, André Chapuis, Caid Belaid and others.

Professor Gsell in his report to the French Academy on Count de Prorok's discoveries, reported in THE TIMES on Dec. 12, urged the French scientists to cooperate with Americans in unraveling Africa's past. He said that the skeleton taken from the tomb was probably that of a woman. The tomb, he went on, contained nothing pertaining to the Mussulman era, proving it did not date later than the ninth or tenth century after Christ. Iron objects found in it, he said, indicated its oldest possible date was 1000 B. C. Coins found there bore Roman lettering, he said, but it was too faint for positive identification.

Other scientists who examined the treasures varied in the opinion of the date of the tomb. Abbé Chabot, former President of the Academy and an authority on Libyan writings, said he believed it was about the first century after Christ. Dr. Salomon Reinach, a famous archaeologist, was positive that its date was the fifth century before Christ, asserting that objects found there were unmistakably Carthaginian in type. They agreed that the statuettes, including the Venus, were of the same period as the tomb. Each praised the discoveries. Dr. Reinach said he thought they exceeded in importance anything done archaeologically hitherto in Algiers, Tunis and Morocco. Professor Gsell paid tributes to Count de Prorok, M. Reygasse, Professor Tyrell, Mr. Pound and Louis Chapuis, another member of the party.

"Despite the brevity of their trip, which was rather a preliminary reconnoissance than an exploration," said Professor Gsell, "the members of the expedition brought back a rich harvest of ethnographical, linguistic and archaeological documents."

Station KMOX Opens in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Radio station KMOX, a superpower broadcasting station, known as "The Voice of St. Louis," officially took the air last night with a program including musical numbers and dedicatory addresses by Mayor Miller and officers of the fourteen companies instrumental in its foundation. Speakers termed KMOX, wave length 261 meters, a "gift to America."

ANDREWS TO VISIT CUBA ABOUT TREATY

Will Discuss Measure to Check Liquor Flood and Study Conditions in South.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Smuggling conditions affecting liquor, aliens and merchandise, with the possibility of a liquor treaty with Cuba as one result, are questions to which representatives of the State and Treasury Departments will address themselves within the next few days.

Assistant Secretary Andrews of the Treasury and Assistant Solicitor Vallance of the State Department left tonight on the first leg of a two weeks' tour, during which they hope to obtain definite information as to ways and means of meeting the situation throughout the South. The officials will visit half a dozen customs ports of entry and will also confer with officials of the Cuban Government at Havana.

With his reorganization of internal prohibition forces as planned last April now completed, Mr. Andrews has arranged to iron out kinks in the customs service. He proposes first to study conditions in the South with a view to facilitating passage of merchandise through the ports and, at the same time, establish a more complete liaison between the customs, coast guard and prohibition services against liquor smuggling. Mr. Andrews has control of all three units for the Treasury and his thought from the start of his official duties has been to work a closely knit system of operation.

As for the Cuban visit, little has been officially disclosed. There have been rumors recurring from time to time of a move to arrange a liquor treaty with Cuba similar to those already signed with Canada and Mexica, and including provisions which would grant the United States a little broader power between the Florida Keys and Cuban waters.

Mr. Vallance has had much to do with negotiation of the liquor treaties and with Mr. Andrews drew up the agreements with Mexico and Canada. The assumption has not been controverted, therefore, that a liquor treaty with the Havana Government would be given consideration during the conference there next week. It was understood also that both officials plan to confer at length with Ambassador Crowder while in Havana to obtain from him informal suggestions on the several phases of the international problem.

IOWA FARMER HOLDS 1,010 TILLABLE ACRES

L. R. Noe Has Faith in the Future of Farm Lands in His State.

Special to The New York Times.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Dec. 25.—L. R. Noe of Garrison, Benton County, added an eighty-acre farm yesterday to his holdings of tillable Iowa land. The deal was the eighth of its kind made by him in successive years, bringing his total acreage to 1,010. He hopes to acquire additional farms in the coming years, he says.

Some of his farmer friends have questioned Mr. Noe's business sagacity in buying farm land under present conditions, but he says he has faith in the State and the future and is certain that he will show a profit in the future as he has in the past. He bought 160 acres of his present holdings during 1920-21 and paid boom prices for them, but they are profitable.

Mr. Noe is peculiarly situated as regards farm help. There are fourteen children in his family, and all except a married daughter live at home and help tend to the crops. Mr. Noe says his children solve the labor problem for him, insure his crops of protection at the time they require it and the harvest when the grain is ripe.

Mr. Noe says the lure of the city has never attracted any of them. With their automobiles, radio and modern electrical methods of farming they are content to remain at home and wrest a better living from the soil than they could in the cities, he says.

SEIZE STOLEN GOODS.

Boston Police Make Christmas Raids and Seven Arrests.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—A squad of ten policemen and private detectives celebrated Christmas Day by making a record seizure of goods stolen from department stores in the yuletide season and valued at $4,000.

Three men and four women were arrested on suspicion. One of the latter, Clara Sennott, the police believe to be the leader.

The merchandise found in the Back Bay apartment of Miss Sennott includes silks, furs and other valuable materials alleged to have been taken from stores in Boston, Worcester, Lynn, Salem, Lowell and Malden.

Those arrested were Miss Sennott, John (Dutch) Foley, William Wallace, Fred B. Fetting and Gertrude Burns, all of Boston, Mildred Gomez of Northfield, Vt., and Mary Kelley of Woburn. They were held for arraignment tomorrow.

RED MAJORITY WINS IN MOSCOW DISPUTE

Communist Congress Rejects Minority Amendments to Platform, 559 to 65.

DISSIDENTS ARE CENSURED

Strengthening of Armed Forces and Measures for Russian Industrial Independence Are Called For.

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MOSCOW, Dec. 25.—At 1 o'clock this morning the political and economic dispute, which for the past several days has divided the All-Russian Congress of the Communist Party, came to a head in a vote of 559 for the platform adopted by the Central Executive Committee and 65 against it.

The test came in a ballot resulting in the rejection of the amendments to the platform offered by Leon B. Kameneff in behalf of the Leningrad Opposition.

The platform as adopted censures the minority faction for overestimating the danger from the Kulaks (the wealthy peasants) and for underestimating the importance of cooperation with he middle class peasants. It instructs the Central Executive Committee to take all steps to strengthen the Red Army and the sea and air fleet. It also instructs the committee to follow a reconstruction policy with a view to industrializing Russia to the extent where the country would manufacture heavy machinery and equipment, thereby assuring independence from capitalist countries.

Asks "Peaceful Foreign Policy."

The platform calls for discounting political stabilization in Europe; warns of the growing American rôle in international affairs, amounting to "financial and economic world domination"; takes note of the "pacific manoeuvring for another world war" by the Locarno Conference and the League of Nations; points to the contradictions between victor and vanquished States and the imperialist colonial policy "awakening semi-colonial peoples" in China, India, Syria and Morocco, and urges support of the struggle for the unity of all labor unions.

The Congress further directs the Central Executive Committee to consolidate by all means the Soviet Republic as the base of a future world revolution with the Western proletariat and the oppressed colonial peoples, simultaneously instructing the Soviet Government to pursue a peaceful foreign policy.

Cleavage in Leadership.

When the party battle was over, the array of the opposing forces appeared to be of greater significance in the division of leadership rather than in the relative numerical strength.

Joseph Stalin, N. I. Bukharin, Alexis I. Rykoff and Michael Kalenin, leading the triumphant majority, faced among their opponents Mme. Nadejda Constantinova Krupskaya, the widow of Nikolai Lenin; Leon B. Kameneff, G. S. Zinovieff and G. Y. Sokolnikoff, the Finance Minister whom M. Stalin charged yesterday with attempts to "Dawesize" Soviet Russia, meaning that if M. Sokolnikopf's theories were adopted they would subject Russia to a process similar to the operation of the Dawes plan in Germany.

Paradoxical as it may seem, M. Kameneff and M. Zinovieff, who a year ago fought Leon Trotsky when the latter championed the cause of party democracy and the right of the minority to self-assertion, have presently found themselves proclaiming the slogan of "live and let live," demanding for their faction its own newspaper for threshing out party disputes, and advocating kindred measures which, according to their opponents, they vigorously opposed when advanced by M. Trotsky.

Session Full of Fireworks.

The charges frequently made in the foreign press that all Soviet assemblies are mere rubber stamp affairs certainly could not be applied to this convention, which in point of verbal fire and ungloved attacks, accusations and interruptions, has yielded nothing to any American political gathering.

Though there was little indulgence in sentiment, it also played a part. M. Zinovieff, M. Kameneff and Mme. Krupskaya, who spent the greater part of their lives with Lenin in exile and heretofore have been considered his best disciples, while admitting M. Stalin's ability, resented iron party discipline. Thus M. Kameneff and Mme. Krupskaya charged that the Pravda recently refused to publish their articles.

With M. Trotsky and other former leaders now temporarily in the background, M. Stalin's strength has been vastly enhanced. Yesterday after M. Stalin's concluding speech the delegates rose and sang the "Internationale."

CABINET HOLDS UP DOUMER'S BUDGET

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of the accommodation measure to meet the country's requirements for January, there being now no chance of the budget being passed by the end of the year.

In commenting on the situation the Matin today published a chart of the French exchange rate over the past year. It may be a coincidence, but it is an interesting coincidence that throughout the whole year the franc remained stable and high when the Chamber was in recess, and fell when the Chamber was in session. More than anything, this coincidence goes to show that the French crisis is far more political than financial in character.

CAPITAL IN FLIGHT.

Banker Returning Here Says French Accounts Abroad Are Growing.

"Bootlegging" of securities which enjoy the favor of the French people is substantially reducing the capital account of France, it was said yesterday by a Wall Street banker who has just returned from a tour abroad. Money is flowing into those companies which issue bearer certificates and these certificates are selling at a substantial premium on the Paris Bourse above the price of registered certificates. Through the purchase of bearer certificates ownership can be hidden effectively as they do not carry the name of the owner as in the case of registered certificates.

In contrast to the leading American companies most of the large corporations of England, Holland and Canada issue stock upon which the bearer may collect dividends. For this reason the class of foreign securities represented by such companies as Shell Transport, Royal Dutch and Rio Tinto lend themselves well to investment under the French prohibition of export of capital if they can be smuggled into the country.

The scuttling of French capital to safety in fear of further depreciation of the franc is going on every day, the banker added.

"Prohibition of the export of capital," he said, "is equivalent to the advertisement that many people are endeavoring to export it, and leads others to consider the wisdom of doing it. Speeches are made in the French Parliament advocating inflation which might almost be a translation of similar speeches made under similar circumstances in Austria, Hungary, Poland and Germany. Meanwhile Frenchmen are stealing over the Belgian border and across the Channel with Dutch and English securities.

"The export trade of the country is busy, but export figures show up badly. Naturally the low exchange makes France a cheap country to buy in; export figures, therefore, ought to be large, but apparently the following is happening: An exporter who may be shipping 1,000,000 francs worth of silk or linen, or any other commodity, to Great Britain or the United States, may bill it at 500,000 francs, and his partner or employe in the London or New York office will collect the other 500,000 francs and then deposit them to the shipper's credit in a local bank. This is only one of many ways of getting money out of France.

"A London broker told me that in arbitraging with Paris he sometimes sold securities at an apparent gross profit of 8 per cent. and even more, but that in order to get his money out of Paris he was frequently compelled to buy other securities on the Paris Bourse which he sold out in London or Amsterdam at a substantial loss. After discussion with many bankers, I am convinced that the credits of Frenchmen in the banks of Switzerland, Belgium, Holland, England and the United States undoubtedly run into very large figures. If the confidence of Frenchmen in their own Government and the stability of the franc could be restored I feel sure that substantially all of this capital would return and help in the rehabilitation of the country."

Quotations of securities listed on the Paris Bourse, he said, show the shares of those companies engaged in export trade outside of French territory selling at much higher prices than the stocks of companies engaged strictly in internal trade.

When asked his opinion of the probable result of the situation, the banker said that the only solution as he saw it was the advent of a Premier to power who could capture the imagination of the French people. At present, he added, the political parties were jockeying for advantages and individuals are looking for the limelight and re-election. A Mussolini is needed, he concluded.

DR. WISE DEFENDED BY NATHAN STRAUS

Philanthropist Urges Rabbi to Remain as Head of United Palestine Appeal.

GIVES $650,000 FOR WORK

Belittles Orthodox Criticism of the Rabbi's Sermon on Jesus and Praises Aid to Cause.

Nathan Straus wrote to Rabbi Stephen S. Wise yesterday, urging him not to resign as Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, and authorizing him to announce contributions of $650,000 for welfare work in Palestine as token of Mr. Straus's confidence in him. Of the $650,000 total, Mr. Straus had already given $500,000 as a trust fund, the income of which is to be used for welfare work in Palestine. He told Rabbi Wise yesterday to announce an additional $100,000 for the erection of the Nathan Straus Welfare and Relief Centre of Palestine and $50,000 for the general purposes of the United Palestine Appeal under Rabbi Wise's leadership.

Rabbi Wise on Thursday tendered his resignation as Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal because of criticism by orthodox rabbis of his sermon last Sunday, when he said that Jews should accept Jesus as a great moral and ethical teacher, and as a Jew of whom they might be proud because of his teachings. His resignation has not been accepted.

Protests Against Resignation.

Mr. Straus's letter follows:

Dec. 25, 1925.

Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Chairman United Palestine Appeal, 114 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Dear Mr. Wise:

I saw with the greatest sorrow in this morning's newspapers that you have offered your resignation as Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal. I wish, as a Jew and a Zionist, who have given a great part of my life and large sums of money to Palestine and to all Jewish and nonsectarian causes, to protest against your action. I know that the United Palestine Appeal will never accept your resignation and I know that they should not.

Suppose you did say something with which some Jews did not agree! What of it? Is all your life of service for Jews and for America to be ignored by those people who take a newspaper headline and are prepared to destroy you and are ready to sacrifice your usefulness in connection with our great work for Palestine? I can hardly believe the newspaper reports that a lot of rabbis, in good standing, should condemn a man like you, with your record and your position, without giving you a chance to explain what you meant. They should have known that no word would ever come out of your mouth that would not have the effect of making Jews still stronger Jews and better Americans, and that, if you said anything at all about Christianity, it would only be in order to remind Christians, as you and I always do, that the first thing for them to do is to be just to Jews.

In order to show you how deeply I feel in the matter, I authorize you as Chairman of the United Palestine Appeal, to announce that, in addition to having created a trust fund of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), the income of which is being and shall in perpetuity be used for welfare purposes among all the people of Palestine without regard to race or creed, I herewith set aside an additional sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000), of which amount one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) shall be devoted to the early erection of the Nathan Straus Welfare and Relief Centre of Palestine for all its needy people and for the housing of the administrative offices of the Hadasseh—and fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) to be devoted to the general purposes of the United Palestine Appeal under your leadership. Faithfully yours, NATHAN STRAUS.

Canadians Want Dr. Wise.

When asked about Mr. Straus's letter, Rabbi Wise said he was very pleased, but had nothing more to say.

A dispatch from Montreal last night quoted Leon Goldman, Executive Secretary of the Zionist Federation of Canada, as saying that Canadian Zionists are anxious to hear Rabbi Wise speak, whatever some New York Zionists may think about him. Rabbi Wise ten days ago declined an invitation to address the Canadian Zionist Convention, which opens in Montreal on Jan. 10, because of a previous engagement.

"Our invitation is still open to him and we would be very glad to receive him," said Mr. Goldman. "We regret that he cannot attend, but I would like it made perfectly clear that our invitation has not been canceled, and the rabbi's letter of refusal was in our hands long before his sermon was delivered.

"I have requested A. J. Frieman, President of our Canadian organization, who is at present in New York, to convey our stand in this matter to Rabbi Wise, so that full denial may be given to the report that we have withdrawn our invitation because of the views expressed by the rabbi in his sermon.

SCORE CRITICS OF DR. WISE.

California Jewish Ministers Want His Leadership Endorsed.

Special to The New York Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—The following resolution was adopted by the Board of Jewish Ministers of Northern California today:

We note with regret the misconstructions which have been placed upon the recent sermon by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise concerning the modern Jewish attitude toward Jesus.

We believe the attempt to force Rabbi Wise from the leadership of the United Palestine Appeal is the work of a small group not representative of the masses of American Jewry. We believe the effort is a breach of the principles of free utterance in the pulpit and that it contravenes the liberal and progressive spirit which must guide Jewish and Zionist affairs.

We appreciate the grief it must have caused Dr. Wise to offer to resign from a movement so dear to his heart, and we are cognizant of the irreparable loss his departure would mean at a time when Zionist affairs are moving forward so vigorously.

We therefore urge upon the Executive Committee of the United Palestine Appeal to decline to accept his resignation and to go on record as endorsing the Jewish leadership of Dr. Wise.

We deplore that a minor issue is obscuring the real interests of the Jewish people and we call upon all Jews, Zionists and non-Zionists alike, to concentrate their attention upon the supreme task of rebuilding Palestine for the Jewish people and the world.

HERMAN LISSAUER,
LOUIS I. NEWMAN,
RUDOLPH I. COFFEE,
MICHAEL FRIED,
HARVEY B. FRANKLIN.

PUBLIC NOTICES

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT LOUIS Grau, formerly connected with the firm of Pretsch & Grau, electrical contractors and supplies, has retired from and is no longer connected with the said partnership and will not be liable for any debts contracted by the said firm. Louis Grau.

CREDITORS, NOTE—MILDRED CHAPeaux, doing business at 2,448 Broadway, sold to Mae Hanauer; present claims in three days; purchaser not liable after Jan. 1. M. SANDERS.

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AGREES WITH DR. WISE.

Rabbi Tedsche Urges Jewish Study of Christian Religion.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 25 (AP).—Declaring that he was in accord with the views of Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York in many respects, Rabbi Sidney S. Tedsche of the Congregation Mishkan Israel, in an address here tonight praised Christ as a "master teacher." He urged toleration on the part of Jews for Christians, and a respect for a genuine religion, which he said should even be studied objectively by Jews.

"Jesus is one of ours," Rabbi Tedsche said, "whether we want Him or not; He was not converted to Christianity until long after His death. Because a lot of bigoted fools misunderstood His teachings does not mean that this Great Man did not stand for something wonderful.

"Christ was a master teacher, but He only took the teachings of the prophets of old and presented them to the people with such force and magnetism that they appeared to be new.

"Because of injustice done in the name of Jesus, however, we must not be so narrow-minded as to fail to recognize Him as a great moral teacher. Christ was crucified by the Romans at the instigation of a small sect among the Jews, and St. Paul transferred the blame from this small sect to the whole Jewish race."

NEWARK RABBI BACKS WISE.

Says Christ Should Be Accepted as One of Noblest of Jewish Faith.

Taking the subject for his sermon "Are Jews Accepting Jesus?" Rabbi Lewis Browne of the Free Synagogue of Newark last night defended Dr. Stephen S. Wise, and himself said that Jesus should be accepted as one of the noblest men of the Jewish faith and that His teachings should be taught in Jewish Sabbath schools:

Starting with the birth of Christ and leading up to the present day, he gave a comprehensive outline of the development of Christianity, according to The Associated Press. Rabbi Browne started his talk by saying that Paul was the founder of Chritsianity, while Jesus was not the founder, but the "foundling."

Rabbi Browne, in saying that the Jews owed it to themselves to accept Jeesus, declared: "I believe that Jesus lived, that he was a Jew, that He preached Jewish doctrines alone and by them tried to bring redemption to His harried fellow men."

CHRIST AS ETHICAL LIGHT.

Rabbi Gup, Agreeing With Dr. Wise, Denies Jews Crucified Jesus.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 25 (AP).—Speaking tonight in Temple Beth-El on "What the Jews Think of Jesus," Rabbi Samuel M. Gup agreed substantially with Dr. Stephen S. Wise of New York that Jesus is not a myth, but "an ethical light which Judaism gave to the world."

Rabbi Gup declared that no Jews took part in the actual trial and crucifixion of Jesus and asserted that "if Christian people were to cease telling their children that the Jews crucified Him, and to tell them instead that it was the Romans who did it, we would begin in childhood to make for a better understanding between members of the two great faiths.

"Jesus is for the Jew an eminent teacher of morality, original, imaginative, sublime; He was a religious genius of the first rank. Stripped of mythological acretions, the Gospels are a product of the people of our own flesh and blood."

Arguing that the Jews were a subject people and had no autonomy in matters of life and death, Rabbi Gup said that "the Gospels have ascribed the crime of the Crucifixion to the Jews because, when they were written, Rome ruled, and to declare that Pontius Pilate had crucified Christ would have given the Roman authorities great offense.

"The most amazing page in the history of injustice in the world is that the Jewish people should have been held responsible during 2,000 years for the death of Jesus. They were no more guilty of His death than the Greek nation was guilty of the death of Socrates."

In explaining why the Jews in Jesus' day did not accept Him as their spiritual leader, Rabbi Gup said it was because the main position of His teachings was opposed to the main position of the prevailing teachings of Judaism in that day; because He had compromised the Jewish idea of a pure God by feeling Himself to be an ultimate source of authority and thus seeming to introduce a more or less idolatrous belief which violated the tone of the commands of Moses, compromising pure monotheism, and because He emphasized an other-worldly religion, believing that the Messianic age was in the present, that God was to usher in a new creation and that the Day of Judgment was at hand.

"Let it be said positively that Jesus was not a Christian," said Rabbi Gup; "that is, He did not aspire to establish a new faith. He became a Christian in the eyes of later Christian development."

TO CONFER ON MEMORIALS.

Sponsors of Move to Mark Battlefields to Meet in Albany Tuesday.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP).—Plans for the establishment of State and national memorials on Revolutionary War battlefields in New York and Vermont took definite form today with an announcement that a meeting of those intrested had been called for Tuesday morning in the Capitol here.

Invitations were extended to Elihu Root, Charles E. Hughes and others who interested themselves in a campaign for sesquicentennial observance of the group of decisive battles of the Revolution and for the creation of parks on the battle fields of Oriskany, Bennington and Saratoga.

TRAIN KILLS FIVE IN AUTO.

Another Member of Nebraska Family Receives Probably Fatal Hurts.

Special to The New York Times.

WISNER, Neb., Dec. 25.—Fred von Seggern, his wife, their son Gustave, 17, and their daughters, Louisa, 18, and Anna, 20 were killed when a Chicago & Northwestern train hit their automobile on the Butterfield crossing near here this afternoon. Another son, Fred Jr., was probably fatally injured.

The family was on the way to spend Christmas with relatives.

ENRIGHT COMMENDS MEN IN 3 ROUND-UPS

Recognizes Work of Detectives Whom He Reduced After the Diamond Murders.

26 MEN SHARE IN HONORS

Those Who Helped Get "Cowboy" Tessler Gang and Shattuck's Robbers Win Praise.

After a lapse of almost three and a half years Commissioner Enright yesterday commended officially an inspector, a lieutenant, two sergeants and three detectives, one of whom recently retired from the force, for their good work in bringing four Corsican criminals to justice in connection with the holdup of the home of the late Albert R. Shattuck, the banker, at Washington Square North, on April 2, 1922.

At the same time Mr. Enright conferred similar honors on a deputy chief inspector, another lieutenant and four detectives for the recent arrest of members of the "Cowboy" Tessler gang, some of whom are in Sing Sing. He commended eight detectives, three former detectives and two patrolmen for participating in the capture of four of five criminals involved in the slaying of two messengers for the West End Bank in Brooklyn, in a holdup on the elevated station at New Utrecht Avenue and Fifty-eighth Street, Brooklyn. This was the killing for which the Diamond brothers and John Farina were sent to the electric chair. The commendations were announced on the recommendation of the Honors Committee of the Police Department.

Those named for honors in the Shattuck case were Inspector John D. Coughlin, head of the Detective Division; Lieutenant Detective Bernard A. Dietsch, Sergeants Alexander A. Nicolay of the Meserole Avenue, Brooklyn, Station, and Morris Greenberg of the West 135th Street Station; Detectives James F. McCoy and Charles F. Kane, of Inspector Coughlin's staff, and former Detective Irving A. O'Hara, a brother-in-law of Mayor Hylan, who retired from the force recently.

Deputy Chief Inspector Thomas M. Fay, Chief of Staff of the Detective Division, under Inspector Coughlin, although holding higher rank, led those who received special recognition in the arrest of the "Cowboy" Tessler gunmen. Others thus honored were Lieutenant Detective Richard F. Oliver, promoted to his present rank within the week, who actually laid the plans for the round-up, and Detectives Thomas E. Dowling, Thomas Duggan, John A. Foray, Thomas J. Hammill, Herman Levine and John F. Goss.

Detectives William J. Hunt, Edmund Tobin, Andrew J. Tully, Stephen C. Donahue, Thomas J. Martin, Emil N. A. Panevino, James A. Dowdell and Henry V. McCadden, and Patrolmen Alfred T. Wing of the Mercer Street Station, Pasquale Somma of the Bath Beach Station, James J. Donlin of the Snyder Avenue, Brooklyn, Station; Louis Ross of the East Sixty-seventh Street Station, and John F. Fitzsimmons of the Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn, Station, were those commended for the capture of the murderers of the bank messengers. Despite their good work in this case, Donlin, Ross and Fitzsimmons later were reduced from the detective division to patrol duty by Commissioner Enright.

The Shattuck robbery was perpetrated on a Sunday afternoon by a band of frequenters of a restaurant on lower Eighth Avenue, led by Alphonse Gabriel Mourey, who formerly had been a butler in the banker's home, under the name of Henri Boilet. The robbers got into the house through a coal chute in the sidewalk, drove the banker and Mrs. Shattuck and seven servants with pistols into an old wine vault in the cellar, locked them in, and rifled the home of $84,000 in jewels.

Mr. Shattuck, who died in Lenox, Mass., on Nov. 4, unscrewed the lock of the vault with his pocketknife after some of those in the vault had been overcome by lack of air. One of the thieves was captured by a patrolman in a nearby alley. Another was arrested in New Jersey, and both were sentenced to from forty to sixty years in Sing Sing. Mourey, the leader of the band, some time after was captured through Mr. Shattuck's own efforts in Paris. He was convicted in Paris for the Shattuck robbery on evidence taken there by Assistant District Attorney Owen W. Bohen, but the jury's death sentence later was commuted to a long prison term.

The last of the band, Paul Camillieri, alias "the Jockey," also was captured in Paris through Mr. Shattuck's efforts, brought back to this city and convicted. He is serving from forty-five to sixty-five years in State's Prison.

Frank Tessler, leader of a band of youths which committed many holdups this year, is in the Tombs under a ten-year sentence imposed last week in General Sessions. He is awaiting trial on a first degree murder indictment for shooting a furrier during a hold-up.

40 CHRISTMAS RAIDS MADE IN PHILADELPHIA

G. W. Elliott, Butler's Successor, Makes a Holiday Drive in Saloons and Resorts.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25 (AP).—Christmas brought no surcease to the rigid law enforcement in Philadelphia that marked the two years of General Smedley Butler's reign as Director of Public Safety, although the General turned in the keys to his office last Wednesday.

Forty raids within the holiday was the mark Director George W. Elliott, General Butler's successor, hung up today. Unit No. 1, organized under Director Butler, was the leader in the raids on saloons and questionable resorts which started before Christmas Day had hardly begun and continued through the afternoon and night.

Director Elliott said the unit would be continued and that there would be no let-up in law enforcement.

GIVES HIS LIFE FOR A GLOVE.

Youth Trying to Recover It Falls From Bridge Into River.

SANFORD, Me., Dec. 25 (AP).—Hanging by his legs from a bridge girder in an attempt to reach a child's glove cost nineteen-year-old George Blanchette his life here today, when his hold slipped and he plunged through the thin ice on which the glove was resting into the Mousam River.

Blanchette kept afloat a few minutes, but sank before bystanders could rescue him. Firemen recovered his body half an hour later.

Thieves Steal 400-Pound Safe.

Special to The New York Times.

BAYONNE, N. J., Dec. 25.—Thieves broke into the meat market managed by Emil Moskowitz at 312 Avenue C, Bayonne, early this morning. They took away a 400-pound safe containing $60 in cash and $600 in bonds. Moskowitz, paying a morning visit to the market, discovered his loss and notified the police. A boy employed by him found the safe at West Tenth Street and Newark Bay, its door blown open and the contents gone.

Police Officer Shares His Christmas Dinner With Hungry Stray Dog Locked in Station

Christmas morning was dark for the black puppy which seemed to be the offspring of a dachshund and a terrier. He had been found wandering alone in the Bronx on Christmas Eve by two young women. They meant to be kind, so they took him to the Morrisania Police Station and turned him over to Lieutenant Martin Regan, who sent the puppy, already named "Blackie," by the policemen to the basement and ordered a wagon from the S. P. C. A. to take him away.

But no wagon came. None does on Christmas Day. Blackie, hungry the night before, was hungrier still when morning came. He viewed the world patiently, but all was dark to him, lying alone in the basement in a coal bin. No one, it seemed, remembered him, and he could not forget his hunger which, as the day went on, grew apace.

Lieut. Regan was eating his Christmas dinner at his desk at 3 o'clock when, suddenly, he stopped in the manner of a man who has recalled something he should not have forgotten.

"Tom," he called, and Tom O'Connell, the station house patrolman, came to the desk, his face inquiring.

"Tom," said Lieutenant Regan as he started heaping a plate with turkey, dressing, masked potatoes and cranberry sauce, "we've forgotten something." He paused as he viewed the second plate and put a little more on it until it contained exactly the amount of food on the first plate. Then he handed one of the plates to him. "I want you," he said, "to take this down to that dog."

Tom hurried. Blackie, lying in the coal bin wide-awake, saw him coming and was standing waiting, trembling a little from remembrance, anticipation and fear that his hopes would be foodless. But they weren't, and Christmas afternoon was bright for Blackie.

ELKS REPRIMANDED BY JUDGE ATWELL

Grand Exalted Ruler Censures Lodge Mildly for Violating Prohibition Law.

C. M. ERTZ DEFENDS CLUB

Says No Liquor Was Sold Since Act Became Law and Seized Beer Was for a Private Dinner.

The Grand Board of Trustees of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, following an investigation of causes leading up to the recent padlocking of the grill and bar of Elks Lodge, No. 1, at 108 West Forty-third Street, has reported to Federal Judge William H. Atwell of Dallas, Texas, Grand Exalted Ruler of the national organization, that the lodge violated the Volstead act. Tomorrow night at a membership meeting a communication will be read from Judge Atwell reprimanding the lodge and ordering that from Jan. 3 to Jan. 30, 1926, no new members shall be admitted and the regular meetings shall be dispensed with.

This was admitted yesterday by Charles M. Ertz, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler, who said he had received the communication from Judge Atwell, and felt relieved to know that there was no possibility that the charter of the lodge would be revoked. Judge Atwell has it in his power to do this, and the reprimand and mild penalty inflicted come somewhat in the nature of a pleasant surprise to those familiar with the facts, it was said.

"Since the day before prohibition," declared Mr. Ertz, "the Elks Club (Lodge No. 1) has not violated the prohibition law. We stopped the sale of liquor in the club that day and have not sold even one glass of it since, so, as a matter of actual fact, the club is not guilty of the violation charged. It seems that some beer, or near-beer, was brought in here for a beefsteak dinner. It was purchased by or through the manager of the club, who is an employe. Therefore, if the beer was real, we are technically guilty as charged, but the spirit of the law has been strictly observed and, we believe, the letter of the law as well."

Shortly before the institution of padlock proceedings against the Elks' Club in West Forty-third Street, Judge Atwell had occupied the bench in the Federad Court in this district. Before him had come a number of Prohibition law cases and his sentences and fines had been rather severe. He was also outspoken in the denunciation of violators of the Volstead Act. In view of this it was feared that he might use his own organization as an object lesson and deprive the lodge of its charter. He has made no public statement whatever about the affair.

The Elks' Club was never "raided." Prohibition agents did not, apparently, even suspect violations there and never visited the place. But a zealous patrolman, passing the club, saw a man unloading kegs from a wagon and investigated. The kegs, nine or ten, were seized and the driver of the wagon was arrested. A sample of the beer was sent to the Federal chemist, who, after analysis, pronounced it legal, with an alcoholic content of less than one-half of one per cent.

The policeman who made the seizure and a sergeant who aided him in reloading the kegs on the wagon, while the driver and other persons looked on without offering to assist, reported that the sample they took proved to be illegal beer containing more than 3 per cent. alcohol. Then the Federal chemist was furnished with another sample obtained in a different way. Analysis of the second sample established it to be a bad law breaker.

The Elks' Club stood out boldly for awhile, but when the case came up it capitulated and consented to have its grill and bar padlocked for six months. The bar furnishings were all removed, and it was announced that so long as the Volstead act remained in effect there would never be another bar in the club.

The investigation by the Grand Board of Trustees, it was learned yesterday, had been ordered by Judge Atwell soon after he learned of the padlock proceeding. The fear of the members of the lodge that they might lose their charter was based largely on the fact that every Elk is under oath to uphold the Constitution of the United States, and the Eighteenth Amendment is a part of the Constitution.

Judge Atwell, speaking as Grand Exalted Ruler, has warned all Elks against serving liquor in their lodges. In the December Elks Magazine he was quoted as having said at a meeting of State executives of the order in Chicago Oct. 28:

"Now, listen, brothers. No Elks' lodge in the United States can have a charter while I am Grand Exalted Ruler which violates the laws of the country. Don't make a hypocrite out of your Grand Exalted Ruler."

'DAWN FISH' FOSSIL FOUND IN VERMONT

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for this belief was that the oldest known fish heretofore had been found in deposits which were probably of fresh water origin. This fish plate, however, was found in a shale which contained trilobates and brachiopods and was taken to indicate a possibility that fish had their origin in salt water.

Professor Howell will discuss his discovery in a paper at New Haven while the Paleontological Society is in session next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and will also read a paper on the discovery written by Dr. Bryant.

Julian W. Fess of Cleveland, Ohio, a member of the junior class at Princeton, will read to the society a paper on the reproduction of fossils in sealing wax and type metal. He has conducted experiments in this respect in his independent work in the geology department, and the Princeton authorities said his accomplishment is one of the fruits of the new plan of upper-class study at Princeton which is based on the premise that undergraduates will do better work if they are permitted to develop original ideas, with assistance of professors, in special fields in which they are interested.

The Princeton Geological Alumni Association will hold its annual dinner at the Lawn Club in New Haven Monday evening. William Berryman Scott, '77, who is to make his retiring address as President of the Geological Society of America, will be the guest of honor. Some of the other scientists expected are Dr. E. C. Oelrich of the United States National Museum, Dr. R. S. Bassler, the United States National Museum, Secretary of the Paleontological Society of America, and Dr. W. D. Matthey, curator of vertebrate paleontology in the American Museum of Natural History. Dr. W. M. Agar, '16, of the Yale geological department and President of the Princeton Geological Alumni Association, will preside at the dinner.

AT SEA 43 YEARS, STEWARD TO RETIRE

Joseph O. Jennings Began His Career When Peril Added Zest to the Job.

WAS ON TORPEDOED BOAT

White Star Veteran Recalls Sinking of Transport by Submarine Off Ireland.

After forty-three years of following the sea Joseph O. Jennings, senior chief steward of the White Star Line, will retire when the Majestic arrives in Southampton on her next voyage. During his long career in the North Atlantic trade he has become known to thousands of Americans.

He went to sea as a boy in the old Guion Line steamships the Nevada, Wisconsin, Abyssinia and Wyoming, from Liverpool to New York. They made the trip in nine days when the weather was fine.

There were no bills of fare in the saloon in those days, the veteran recalled yesterday. Passengers inquired what there was to eat and the usual reply was "Soup, roast beef, corned beef, chicken, ham and pork." The total number of the crew on each Guion ship was 250, Mr. Jennings said, until the Alaska and the Arizona came out. Then the crew was increased to 400 because of the extra firemen carried to drive the ships and more cooks and stewards to look after the passengers.

In the early days there were no rooms with private baths and few baths of any kind on board. What baths there were, said Mr. Jennings, were taken charge of by the barber, who got them ready for the few hardy souls who ordered them.

"They were mostly business people who traveled in the early '80s," said Mr. Jennings. "Very few crossed the Atlantic for pleasure, especially in the Winter."

Mr. Jennings was in only one accident—when the old Nevada went ashore off Fire Island in the Summer of 1886 and had to be hauled off by the Wyoming. The veteran joined the White Star Line when the Teutonic came out and later served on a ship carrying troops in the Boer War. In the World War he was chief steward on the transport Justicia, which was sunk by a submarine off Lough Swilly, Ireland, after a fight lastng twenty-four hours.

"She was hit by eleven torpedoes and kept afloat two hours and a half after the last one struck her," he recalled. "Twelve of the crew were killed when the first torpedo exploded, but there were no other casualties afterward."

Mr. Jennings was kept busy yesterday receiving deputations from the various departments on the Majestic, who presented him with a handsome trunk, a valise, a golf set and bag and many other gifts. After a voyage to South Africa to visit his sister, Mr. Jennings said he would spend the remainder of his days at Crosby, near Liverpool. He is 60 years old, which is the retiring age for the White Star Line.

HOW MELLON "EARNED" $100,000 FROM PENROSE

House Sergeant-at-Arms Repeats Story the Senator Told About Treasury Chief.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Joseph G. Rodgers, sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives, who was a political associate of the late Senator Penrose, today told this story which he said was typical of Mr. Penrose's brand of humor:

In one of his campaigns while he was Chairman of the Republican State Committee in Pennsylvania Senator Penrose called upon the present head of the Treasury Department at his Pittsburgh bank.

"I've got to have $250,000 to make this fight," said Mr. Penrose.

"Can't you get along with $150,000?" asked Mr. Mellon.

"Oh, I suppose I can if I have to," replied Mr. Penrose.

Mr. Mellon left his private office and returning handed the Senator the generous contribution.

And as he went into his private office I heard him say to his Secretary: "Just made $100,000," is the way Mr. Penrose told the story.

The original story, according to Mr. Rodgers, was told by Senator Penrose to some Pennsylvania Congressmen, who were complaining that Secretary Mellon made a bad impression at his first appearance before the Ways and Means Committee.

THIEVES BIND GUARD; WISH 'MERRY XMAS'

Overpower Watchman in Bronx Laundry, Blow Open Safe and Escape.

CHECKS STREWN ON FLOOR

One of Armed Burglars Tells Victim He Needs the Money for Sick Baby.

Armed burglars broke into the office in the plant of the National Laundry Service at 1,471 Wilkins Avenue, the Bronx, last night, bound and gagged a watchman and blew open a large safe. Before they left, the thieves called a "Merry Christmas" to the watchman, while one explained that he was taking part in the burglary because his baby boy was dying and he needed money.

Whether the thieves obtained any money could not be learned. A strongbox which was believed to have contained most of the cash in the safe was found intact by detectives of the Simpson Street station. Checks and bills were scattered over the floor of the office by the burglars in the search for loot.

The watchman, George Kaiser of 2,848 First Avenue, had punched a clock in the office at 8:30 o'clock and was in another part of the building about ten minutes later when he heard a noise on the roof over the office. As he reached the office he was confronted with two men, who with accomplices had entered through a skylight.

All but the two men who faced Kaiser with pistols kept out of sight. The two armed men, however, backed the watchman into the service department, threw him down among piles of laundry bags. They extracted sheets and table cloths from the bags, tore them into strips and prepared to bind Kaiser. Before they could start, Kaiser said:

"This means my job, I guess. What are you fellows pulling this one for?"

"I'll tell you, pal," said one of the burglars, "I got a little baby boy dying at home and this is Christmas and I got to have dough."

The burglars bound Kaiser's hands and feet tightly with the strips of cloth and put a large gag in his mouth. Before they left him to go to the office to join their accomplices, the man who had spoken of the sick child looked back and said:

"Well, no hard feelings. Merry Christmas, old timer."

"The same from me," said the other burglar.

A few minutes after they had left Kaiser heard a loud detonation as the safe door was blown from its hinges. The thieves remained in the office only a few minutes longer and then left by the skylight.

It was almost 10:30 before the watchman could free himself.

ROAD NOW ELECTRIFIED.

Staten Island Completes Improvement of Passenger Service.

The Staten Island Rapid Transit Company completed yesterday the electrification of its passenger train service, and operated its first electric train over the north shore division from St. George to Arlington. Motorman Joseph Naples drove the first train from St. George at 12:10 o'clock.

Operations over the electrified system were initiated by General Superintendent M. L. McElheny. Officials of the company made the first trip. The new electric trains will reduce by four minutes the running time over the north shore division. The only steam locomotives still in operations by the company will be used to haul freight.

FIVE HURT ON WAY TO FIRE.

Blaze From Christmas Candles Results in Truck Wreck.

MEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 25 (AP).—Christmas candles, which set fire to the window curtains of a dwelling here tonight, resulted in injury to five Medford firemen when the truck on which they were responding to the blaze skidded from the road and overturned in a clay pit, twenty feet below the highway. The men were tossed into a salt marsh.

All escaped serious injury except Albert Nicoll, a hoseman, whose head was cut on a rock. He was taken to the Lawrence Memorial Hospital, where his condition was regarded as serious but not critical.

BERLIN USES 500,000 TREES.

Some Invade Municipal Forest When Christmas Supply Is Exhausted.

BERLIN, Dec. 25 (AP).—Although a supply of half a million Christmas trees had been brought into Berlin and offered at high prices, the entire stock was exhausted today and Berlin experienced the effects of a Christmas tree famine.

Three hundred persons armed with axes invaded the municipal forest and started hacking down every small tree in sight. A forester who interfered was forced to use a revolver to disperse the crowd and police confiscated the trees that had been cut down.

BOY BANK ROBBERS TAKEN CHRISTMAS EVE

Leader, Sick of the Affair, Surrenders When Their Car Runs Into Ditch.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., Dec. 25 (AP).—Yesterday a slim dark-haired boy privileged to play about the bank; today a felon, confessed leader of an attempt to rob the same bank, is the status of Dale Matkin, 17, arrested late yesterday with two other boys, Charles Grounds, 18, and Harold Grounds, 17, and Clyde Harrison, 34, a negro ex-convict, for the robbery early yesterday afternoon of the Cheney State Bank of Cheney.

Matkin came here last Fall to enter a business college. He did not pick the best of associates and when he found himself broke on the eve of Christmas and separated from home by many miles he suggested to the Grounds brothers that they rob a bank.

C. O. Bomholt, assistant cashier of the bank, pursued the bandits in a car commandeered hastily as they fled and forced the bandits' faster car to take a turn too rapidly, which resulted in it running into the ditch.

The four occupants jumped out, but Matkin, sick of the whole affair before the actual robbery had been perpetrated, stopped and surrendered. Harrison also was caught with the $505 taken from the bank. Later Matkin named his other two associates and led the city police to their home, where they were arrested.

HELD AS FOURTH GANGSTER.

Police Say Chain Store Manager Has Identified Brooklyn Man.

Edward Schombaum, of 896 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, said by the police to be another of the gang of which Mrs. Anna Ross, also of the Gates Avenue address, is an alleged member, was arraigned on a charge of robbery yesterday in the Gates Avenue Court in Brooklyn. Magistrate Short held him in $25,000 bail for a hearing on Dec. 31.

Detectives Cavanagh and Judge, of the Ralph Avenue Police Station, who arrested Schombaum at his home Christmas Eve, said that Walter Pelham, manager of the Atlantic and Pacific grocery store at 196 Howard Avenue, Brooklyn, had identified him as one of the two men who held him up and robbed him last Wednesday night.

The second man, it is charged, is Louis Corney of 934 Belmont Avenue, Brooklyn, who was captured Thursday night. From Corney the police obtained information which caused the arrest of Mrs. Ross and Victo Sennarco of 1,723 Linden Street, Brooklyn. In her cell at Raymond Street Jail yesterday, Mrs. Ross reiterated tearful protests of her innocence. She maintains that her arrest was a mistake, saying that she was at home all Wednesday evening.

ACCUSED OF SCHOOL THEFTS

Three Erasmus Hall Boys Charged With Rifling Lockers.

It wasn't Santa Claus who visited the Brooklyn homes of three Erasmus Hall High School boys on Christmas Eve. It was detective Anthony Greco of the Flatbush Police Station, who took them into custody on the accusation that on Nov. 14 they had stolen six rifles, a pair of hockey skates attached to shoes and several footballs from the school gymnasium locker room.

John Ryan, 16 years old, of 1,255 New York Avenue, charged with grand larceny, was held in $500 bail yesterday by Magistrate McCloskey in the Flatbush Court for examination on Dec. 29. The two others, because they are under 16, were charged with juvenile delinquency and are to come up for hearing in the Children's Court Monday. They are Raymond Odea, 14 years old, of 3,310 Snyder Avenue, and William Weinberg, 15, of 333 East Thirty-fourth Street.

Edward H. Alexander of 683 St. John's Place, Brooklyn, a teacher at the school, was the complainant. In Ryan's room, Greco alleged, he found some of the alleged stolen articles.

DAIRY SHOP ROBBED OF $199

'Merry Christmas,' Says Man With Gun—Theft and Chase Ensue.

Murray Levison opened his dairy shop at 2,001 Southern Boulevard, the Bronx, at 6.30 yesterday morning and began placing a tempting display of rolls in the window. The door opened and a short, slender man entered. He called out gayly, "Merry Christmas!"

"Merry Christmas!" answered Levison who turned to wait on his customer and found himself looking into the muzzle of a pistol. With his free hand the bandit opened the cash register, took $199 in bills and silver, and after warning Levison not to follow, ran out the front door.

After waiting a minute, the dairyman followed. He was just in time to see the robber turn westward into 178th Street. Levison ran after him as far as Marmion Avenue, where the fugitive turned north to 179th Street and disappeared. Levison described him to the police.

Does Not Know Who Shot Him.

Louis Regtione, 34 years old, of 174 Thompson Street, walked into St. Vincent's Hospital last night with a slight bullet wound in his right leg below the knee. He told physicians there that he had been shot by an unidentified man at the corner of West Broadway and Prince Street. Detectives investigated and Regtione was allowed to go home.

BOY GANG PROBLEM TO BE STUDIED HERE

Social Workers Meet Today for Conference on Community Organization.

COLUMBIA TO HEAR SURVEY

Professor Thrasher of Illinois to Talk on Criminal Activities He Found in 1,313 Gangs in Chicago.

Juvenile gangs will be discussed from a unique viewpoint by representative research social workers and others in the annual conference on community organization, which will hold its first meeting of a four-day session at the Town Hall Club in West Forty-third Street this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The conference, in which delegates of several learned groups, including the American Sociological Society, the American Political Science Association, the American Statistical Association, the American Economic Association and the American Association for Labor Legislation will take part, has not been held in New York City for the last twenty years. This city, it was said yesterday, had been avoided as a meeting place because it was felt that the many distractions here would take minds away from the matters to be discussed.

Tomorrow at the Faculty Club of Columbia University, the boy's gang will be discussed. Professor Frederick B. Thrasher of Illinois Wesleyan University has made a study of 1,313 gangs in Chicago, and has found them the seat of training in criminal activities. According to the program, his paper will be discussed by other workers, who are of the opinion that the gang is neither unnatural nor baneful and that it is a "wholesome natural development."

Albert J. Kennedy, Secretary of the National Federation of Settlements of Boston; Mark McClosky of Hudson Guild, New York, and Henry Busch of Union Theological Seminary, it is thought, will all take issue with Professor Thrasher's thesis.

Tonight at the Town Hall a dinner is to be addressed by George W. Coleman, President of the Open Forum National Council and Ford Hall Forum of Boston; Everett Dean Martin, director of the People's Institute and Cooper Union Forum, and Robert Erskine Ely, director of the League for Political Education of the Town Hall.

In the speeches and discussion the place of the forum in the organization of community life, the policies of forums and how far they should allow radical utterances will be discussed.

On the last day of the conference the division on Human Ecology will discuss such topics as "Ecology in the City," "Rise of the Metropolitan Community" and "Segregation and Its Processes."

AUTOS JOIN SAHARA OASES.

Run Regularly Now Between South Tunis and South Algeria.

TUNIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Six-wheeled automobiles have enabled the establishment of a regular Saharan freight and passenger service between the oases of South Tunis and the oases of South Algeria.

Direct connection from Tozeur to Biskra has meant the conquest of picturesque desert country, which hitherto it had been believed could not be traversed.

EARTHQUAKE IN PERSIA.

Damage Is Heavy in Ahram; People Are Living in Tents.

BASRA, Iraq, Dec. 25 (AP).—Severe earthquake shocks were felt yesterday in the region of Bushire, Persia.

Heavy damage was caused at Ahram, twenty miles east of Bushire, where the people were driven from their houses and now are living in tents.

GETS PURSE FOR COURTESY.

Motorman Receives Reward From 400 Trolley Patrons.

MEADVILLE, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—Nearly four hundred patrons of a Meadville trolley route today presented a purse of gold to Harvey A. Smith, motorman, for courteous service.

Smith has been an employe of the railway since its formation, twenty-seven years ago.

TURKS CALL ARMY COUNCIL.

President, Premier and Cabinet to Confer With Military.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Supreme Military Council has been convoked to meet in Angora under the chairmanship of President Mustapna Kemal.

Premier Ismet Pasha and members of the Cabinet have been invited to attend.

Sketch by Albrecht Durer Found.

ZURICH, Switzerland, Dec. 25 (AP).—A hitherto unknown pen sketch by Albrecht Dürer, master painter of Nuremberg, has been discovered in the library of the Zurich Art Institute. It represents Apollo armed wth bow and arrow. In his hands he carries a miniature sun with a human face.

M'LAUGHLIN DELAYS HIS REPLY ON POLICE

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the Schuyler Hotel at 59 West Forty-fifth Street, "that I had almost forgotten all about it. There is nothing that I care to say about it, anyway."

General Bingham admitted that he had not read Commissioner Enright's statement, in which he declared that Captain Stephenson's dismissal was due to the prejudice of a Chief Inspector of the force and a Deputy Commissioner under General Bingham. The General suggested that perhaps Bert Hanson, who was a Deputy Commissioner under him at the time of Stephenson's dismissal, might be more familiar with the case and would want to comment on Commissioner Enright's statement.

Hanson Also Silent.

Mr. Hanson, however, said at his home, 31 West Sixty-ninth Street, that he could recall so little about the case that he entertained a strong doubt that he had anything to do with it. The records show, however, that Mr. Hanson was the trial Deputy Commissioner and that he recommended Stepheson's dismissal to General Bingham.

"There is nothing that I care to say about Commissioner Enright's statement or his action in restoring Stephenson," Mr. Hanson said. "It is a matter which I feel that I am not prepared to discuss, after all these years."

Stephenson's three dismissals from the force in the period between the Lexow investigation in 1893 and General Bingham's action in 1908 was the subject of much discussion yesterday in station houses throughout the city. These discussions revealed a boast that Stephenson is said to have made when the charges which led to his dismissal were formulated against him.

Stephenson then was in command of the Williamsburg Bridge Percinct, a post with little responsibility. One of his duties was to walk the bridge at several hours of the day and night to see that the patrolmen were on their posts.

The late Max P. Schmittberger was Chief Inspector. He and Stephenson had not been on friendly terms since the time fifteen years before when Schmittberger confessed in the Lexow investigation that he had accepted graft, and involved other high officials of the department in corruption. Several of these were dismissed from the force, and their friends in the department ostracized Schmittberger.

Termed Him "Squealer."

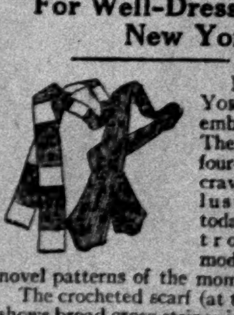
Schmittberger was termed a "squealer," but he was forgiven for his past misdeeds by those behind the reform movement, and eventually was made the superior of all his old enemies. Stephenson had been in command of the Williamsburg Bridge Precinct about five months when Schmittberger obtained information that Stephensen was not patrolling the bridge, and that discipline among the men under him was waning.

Schmittberger reported this to the late Frederick H. Bugher, then a Deputy Police Commissioner under General Bingham. Mr. Bugher began an investigation and one night unexpectedly appeared at the bridge station and seized the blotters for the period of Stephenson's command there. Stephenson came in before Mr. Bugher left. The story told of him yesterday says he demanded what was the Deputy Commissioner's purpose in taking them.

Mr. Bugher told him he was investigating reports that Captain Stephenson had been neglecting his duty, and then Stephenson is alleged to have said: "I know who told you to do this—it was that fellow Schmittberger. He doesn't like me. He'd like to get me off the force. Young fellow, I'll be a captain of police when you and Schmittberger no longer are connected with the department."

Stephenson made good his boast last Thursday afternoon, when Commissioner Enright, after seventeen years, pinned a captain's shield on him in Police Headquarters.

Daily Style Hint For Well-Dressed New Yorkers



NEW YORK, December 26—The knitted four-in-hand cravats, illustrated today, introduce modish and novel patterns of the moment.

The crocheted scarf (at the left) shows broad cross-stripes in silver, navy and red, though many other color blendings are available.

The accordion-knitted scarf (at the right) is the open-end type of Jacquard silk, with geometrically spaced irregular figures in contrasting colors.

John David

SANTA GLADDENS BELLEVUE CHILDREN

Parks Reindeer Outside, Then Enters Ward With Colossal Pack of Gifts.

PUP FOR ONE YOUNGSTER

A Sewing Machine Goes to Girl of 10 Who, Strapped to Her Cot, May Never Walk Again.

It was Christmas in the children's ward at Bellevue, too. As joyous a day as the heart of Helen Hurley herself, and where, even in the whole world, could be matched the happiness that was hers yesterday?

She is 10 years old. A tiny morsel, made frail and even smaller by disease. Throughout the last two and a half years she has lain on her back, strapped to a board, made captive by an ailment of the hip. She can move her hands. But from the chin up, only her eager, restless eyes can be moved.

Helen can never recover. Too many physicians have confirmed that for any doubt to exist about it, even to those who are not too modern to reject miracles. The physicians know it, the nurses know it, her parents know it, and, perhaps some of her companions in the ward sense it, their faculties preternaturally sharpened by illness.

She, however, does not, nor doubts that some time she will walk out into the world she quit nearly three years ago. Confident that this is to take place, Helen has been planning for her own future. Dressmaking, she has been told, offers a good occupation to a girl, especially to one who may be a trifle lame. This was in the mind of Helen when the physicians, having been commissioned by Santa Claus, came about several weeks ago seeking to know what the children wanted.

"A sewing machine," said Helen, "first to make doll's clothes and then big ones later."

Daily since then Helen has reiterated her wish. On Christmas Eve, when the children well knew that the jingling gentleman of the frozen North had set out on his yearly pilgrimage, she almost bothered the nurse with her anxiety. Then came yesterday morning, and what a stirring in beds and a whispering ran through the wards. At any moment Santa might come jollily into the rooms.

"What's that?" a shrill voice asked.

Growing louder by the second came the clanging of bells and the tooting of whistles and into the ward came Santa, his sled drawn by two attendants. It was explained that his reindeer had balked at the gate in Twenty-sixth Street and had to be left outside.

"Here I am!" the words came from a score of the young patients, but although Santa smiled and smiled again, he went first to the bed of Helen. The old gentleman, who curiously enough was sometimes addressed as "Dr. Fleming," although he did not resemble the Superintendent of Bellevue in the slightest, reached into his pack.

A sewing machine. Yes, and workable, too, and right into the outstretched hands of Helen Hurley. For her? Yes, indeed.

Down between the beds went Santa and over to Billy Robinson and Billy Brown, both 8 years old and heart patients. They had wanted boxing gloves, and they got them. Both Billys insisted that the gloves be laced on right away and it took considerable persuasion on the part of the nurses to prevent a "bout."

Then from the seemingly inexhaustible pack Santa produced a yellow pup. Joseph Guilliano, 4, had stubbornly insisted that all he wanted for his Christmas was a dog.

"Have you been a good boy?" asked Santa.

An eager nod was the answer.

"Did you ask for a dog?"

The nod was most emphatic, and so the pup, with tail thrashing madly, was tucked in with Joe.

There was a gift for every child, and just the gift that had been asked for. In addition there was no end of candy and cakes and the rest of it. In the wards of grown-ups there were trees and radio equipment and all the 2,800 patients and employes dined on turkey, about 3,000 pounds of it, and finished with 250 gallons of ice cream.

SANTA DROPS BY PARACHUTE

Circles Over Newark, Then Brings Gifts—Institutions Celebrate.

A modern Santa Claus circled in an airplane over 1,500 children assembled yesterday in Military Park, Newark, and as they gazed they saw him drop from the plane into a wide chimney jutting in from the Newark A. C. Building. He promptly appeared among them, seemingly none the worse for his feat, and began distribution of gifts.

Later it developed that merely a stuffed red figure had dropped out of the plane—but the gifts were coming too fast at that time for anybody to care how Santa got there. The party was under the auspices of the City of Newark, Proctor's Theatre and L. Bamberger & Sons. After the presentation of the gifts and a turkey dinner in the Kraeder Auditorium, the children saw a special vaudeville bill.

Christmas was celebrated at Essex County institutions yesterday with dinners, trees and gifts for all inmates. The dinners at the hospital for the insane, the penitentiary and the contagious and isolation hospitals, all at Laurel Hill, Secaucus, were at noon. In the afternoon gifts and candy were distributed from Christmas trees and Hudson County choral societies made the rounds and sang carols. At the Hudson County jail in Jersey City the prisoners had a six-course dinner, followed by a tree and special Christmas music.

HYLAN'S CHRISTMAS QUIET.

Mayor and Mrs. Hylan Pass Day With Relatives.

Mayor Hylan spent a quiet Christmas with his family yesterday. He and Mrs. Hylan attended mass at the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel in the morning and drove with her afterwards to the home of their daughter, Mrs. John F. Sinnott, in Kew Gardens, where they had dinner.

In the evening there was an informal gathering of relatives at the Hylan home at 959 Bushwick Avenue, Brooklyn. Before dark, however, the Mayor and a niece, Miss Kathryn O'Hara, took a ten-block walk along Bushwick Parkway.

PUTS CHEER ON FRONT PAGE

Boston Herald Hides Unhappy News Inside for Christmas Issue.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Boston Herald observed Christmas Day by putting out a cheerful front page.

All news of a disagreeable or distressing nature was placed on inside sheets, and those who looked for crime and accident items had to shuffle through the paper for them.

It was explained that last year many readers complained that the Christmas morning front page was altogether too saddening for Yuletide.

Bishop Stires Preaches Christmas Sermon in Jail

Special to The New York Times.

MINEOLA, L. I., Dec. 25.—Bishop Ernest M. Stires of the Diocese of Long Island told forty-five prisoners in the Nassau County Jail at Christmas service today that Christmas means that God has made an effort to come into the lives of men and help them.

"God sent Christ to the world," he said, "because He wanted to be kind to mankind. God came into these lives of ours to help us put forth our best efforts. There are not many of us who have not made mistakes. No matter how big a mistake you make you can always come back to God. God is always ready to receive us."

The prisoners at the service, which was arranged by the Archdeaconry of Queens ond Nassau Counties, and three women prisoners who remained in their cells received gifts of clothing and candy. They joined in repeating the Lord's Prayer with the Rev. William A. Sparks and in singing hymns.

FOREIGN CREWS MERRY ON SHIPS DOCKED HERE

German and Dutch Keep Old Sea Customs—Swedish Sailors Enjoy Dance.

The crews of the foreign ships in port had their Christmas dinners of turkey and plum pudding with rations of wine or beer and had concerts and dancing afterward.

The German and Dutch steamships followed the ancient seafaring custom of having a tree for each department on which were tied the presents the men gave to each other. At noon, after eight bells was struck, the captain, chief officer and purser went to inspect the trees in the quarters of the engineers, sailors, firemen and the cooks and stewards and to award the annual prize to the one that was most artistically decorated.

The captain and officers of the White Star liner Majestic dined together in the main dining saloon while four stalwart pipers marched around playing martial airs.

Swedish crews had their festivities on Christmas Eve when all hands made "glug," an insidious liquor for strangers, which is composed of raisins burned with butter, sugar and old brandy and topped with Swedish punch. Then the merry men sang carols and old folk songs.

The Leviathan, lying at Hoboken, and other American steamships were quiet yesterday, as their crews were ashore celebrating Christmas with their families.

Twenty-five years ago sailors and firemen made a fuss over their dinners on Christmas Day, but the firemen and sailors of the Atlantic liners today get turkey, chicken or duck and plum duff at least twice a week.

SANTA'S TOWN MAIL-CHOKED

Yule Hopes Buried at Indiana Village Named for Saint.

SANTA CLAUS, Ind., Dec. 25 (AP).—The Christmas hopes of scores of young believers in Santa Claus from Maine to Mexico lay buried today in the post-office of this little hamlet.

Next week O. M. Martin, postmaster, will ship to the dead letter office the missives which found their way to the only village in the United States which bears the name of the Yuletide saint. Despite efforts of the postal workers to intercept Santa Claus letters several hundred of them invariably land here every Christmas.

The village, named by German toy makers who settled here seventy-five years ago, is in Spencer County, a few miles from Abraham Lincoln's boyhood home. It has no railroad, no sidewalks, electric lights, movies or soda fountains.

CHRISTMAS THRONG FILLS ST. PATRICK'S

16,000 Persons at Six Services, With 7,500 at Midnight's Greeting to Holy Day.

MASS FOR NIGHT WORKERS

Churches Along the Avenue Hold Annual Celebrations With Historic Music.

It is estimated that about 16,000 persons attended six Christmas services in St. Patrick's Cathedral yesterday. And there were more than a thousand visitors who passed in and knelt before the crib when no service was under way.

The most largely attended service was the Christmas Eve midnight mass. During that time there were almost 7,500 men and women packed in the great church, which has a normal seating capacity of not many over 5,000.

Holy communion was administered at every mass except the 11 o'clock service. At the midnight celebration all the priests on the cathedral staff were on duty. The celebrant was Mgr. Michael J. Lavelle, the rector, and he also officiated yesterday morning at five masses. Mgr. Lavelle is almost 70 years old. The preacher at the midnight mass was the Rev. Dr. Bernard F. McQuade, assistant rector.

The celebrant of the pontifical mass in the absence in Rome of Cardinal Hayes was the Right Rev. John J. Dunn, Auxiliary Bishop of the diocese. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. Thomas J. Delehant, a Jesuit, and his theme was "Our Hope." He told of what the birth of Christ in the manger meant to the world.

Students in Procession.

In the procession with the clergy and altar boys were the 250 students in St. Joseph's Theological Seminary, Dunwoodie, and the 300 pupils in Cathedral College, which is preparatory for the priesthood. The usual choir was augmented by stringed instruments, and Professor Jacques Ungerer, organist for many years, was at the organ.

After the pontifical mass, Mgr. Lavelle entertained at a Christmas dinner Bishop Dunn, the Rev. Timothy J. Dugan, the Bishop's private secretary, and the other officers of the mass. Bishop Dunn officiated at pontifical vespers, and at this service Professor Ungerer and his choir rendered another elaborate musical service.

The twenty-fourth annual special Christmas mass for night workers was celebrated at 2:30 yesterday morning in St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Church, City Hall Place and Duane Street.

The celebrant was the Rev. William E. Cashin, the pastor, successor to the late Mgr. Luke J. Evers, who founded the night workers' mass. Father Cashin preached on the text, "Behold, I Bring You Tidings of Great Joy."

Delegations from twenty-five newspapers and several hundred other night workers from the downtown section, including porters, policemen, firemen and a score of young women telephone operators attended.

There were more than 800 persons at the 11 o'clock Christmas service in St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, Fifth Avenue and Fifty-third Street. This was the first Christmas for twenty-four years in which the Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, now the Bishop of Long Island, did not officiate. The preacher yesterday was the Rev. Dr. Raymond C. Knox, chaplain of Columbia University. The full choir sang a Christmas program under the direction of Dr. T. Tertius Nöble, organist and choir master. The chancel was decorated with tall Christmas trees. The choir also sang at the 8 o'clock Christmas celebration of holy communion.

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian.

The Rev. Dr. Henry Howard, formerly of Adelaide, Australia, preached a Christmas sermon to a large congregation in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, at Fifty-fifth Street. There was a Christmas musical program by a quartet led by Harry Gilbert, organist and choir master.

The Collegiate Reformed Church of St. Nicholas, Fifth Avenue and Forty-eighth Street, held a Christmas service at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Paul R. Dickie, the assistant minister, preached the sermon, and his subject was "A Christmas of the Heart."

The Rev. Dr. Robert Norwood preached his first Christmas sermon as rector of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, Park Avenue and Fiftieth Street, where there was a large congregation. The majority remained for a celebration of the holy communion.

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Morgan of Newark, N. J., preached the Christmas sermon at 11 o'clock in the Broadway Congregational Tabernacle, at Fifty-sixth Street, where he formerly was assistant pastor.

Professor Henry C. Offerman of Hanna Lutheran Divinity School, Springfield, Ohio, but formerly a pastor in Brooklyn, preached the Christmas sermon yesterday morning in St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, the Bronx.

Not a Christmas Tree Fire Reported in City All Day

Yesterday was an unusually safe and sane Christmas for the New York Fire Department. Not a single Christmas tree fire and not a single blaze from candles on church altars had been reported in Manhattan or the Bronx up to 9 o'clock last night.

Even the small fires throughout the city were less numerous than usual, it was said at headquarters. Thirteen alarms were turned in between 1 A. M. and 7 P. M., most of which were trifling. This was slightly more than half the number of Christmas Day alarms last year.

SLAYS WIFE AT YULE TREE.

Westernport (Md.) Man Then Kills Himself as Children Sleep.

WESTERNPORT, Md., Dec. 25.—A double Christmas tragedy in which W. C. Eddings shot and fatally wounded his wife and then fired a bullet into his own head, both dying early today, occurred in this town. The police believe that Eddings was temporarily insane.

Mrs. Eddings and a neighbor were decorating a Christmas tree when Eddings drew a revolver and threatened to shoot his wife. As she dodged behind her stepdaughter, Mrs. Frances Evans, Eddings fired a bullet into his wife's shoulder. As she crumbled on the floor he fired another bullet into her head. Then he calmly walked into the next room and shot himself.

Their two children, Willard, 7, and Earl, 4, who were sleeping after having hung up their stockings, were not awakened by the shots.

Eddings recently was injured between coal cars and had been released from a hospital. As far as known he and his wife had no serious quarrels.

SING SING HAS A TREE.

Convicts Get Gifts and Radio Lightens Day in Death House.

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Sing Sing Prison had a holiday today. Trees were set up in the mess hall, hospital and the chapel and each of the prisoners except those in the death house received a calendar, a cigar, cigrarettes, a pencil, toothbrush, sandy and fruits. A motion-picture show entertained the time-serving convicts and radio music lightened the hours for the eighteen in the death cells.

Mrs. Fannie Soper of Bouquet, N. Y., the only woman in the death house, received a pair of silk stockings and a box of candy from Mrs. Lewis E. Lawes, wife of the Warden.

GIVES BIBLES TO PRISONERS

Knoxville Judge Tells Them to Read the Story of Christ and Sin No More.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 25 (AP).—City Judge Robert P. Williams gave a Bible to each of the forty-two prisoners brought before him in Police Court this morning, told them the story of Christ and then said "Go and sin no more."

The Judge also sent candy and flowers to fifty delinquent women he recently sentenced to the Camp Home.

CAPITAL OBSERVES QUIET CHRISTMAS

But All Join in the Enjoyment of the Day, From the President to the Lowest Urchin.

COOLIDGE VISITS HIS DESK

Later Goes to Church and Hears Harding's Pastor Extol the Locarno Treaty as a Great Advance.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—The national capital, from President Coolidge to the poorest urchin, observed Christmas today in quiet but wholehearted fashion. Even the absence of snow, which had been promised by the weather man failed to detract from the enjoyment of the day.

Business houses which had enjoyed perhaps the greatest period of Christmas buying in history were closed, as were all Government departments. The holiday, by Act of Congress, will continue over the week-end.

The President and Mrs. Coolidge led in the quiet celebration of the day. They had no house guests and there was no unusual activity at the White House.

Although clerks in the executive offices had a day off, the President after his customary early morning walk, went to his desk to look over mail. Later in the morning, with Mrs. Coolidge and their son John, who is home from college, he went to the First Congregational Church to attend a union service.

The Rev. W. S. Abernethy, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, which the late President Harding attended, delivered a sermon on "The Wondrous Name." Referring to world conditions today, he expressed the view that the Locarno Treaty had been an almost immeasurable step forward toward peace.

The service was a part of general observance arranged by churches of the city, attracting a number of cabinet members and Senators and Representatives remaining in the capital over the holidays. Many other Government officials living short distances from Washington had left to spend Christmas at their homes.

From the church, the President and his family returned to the Executive Mansion, where they remained in seclusion throughout the remainder of the holiday, except for a short walk taken by Mr. Coolidge just after nightfall.

DAWES HAS HOME FEAST.

Vice President and Wife Entertain Neighbors and Relatives.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 (AP).—Vice President Dawes and Mrs. Dawes enjoyed their Christmas today with the neighbors, friends and relatives.

"I'm having a great time with the home folk," the Vice President declared.

This evening the Dawes home was open to all neighborhood youngsters, friends of their adopted children, Dana and Virginia. A picture show, music and Yuletide festivities were arranged for the gathering. At dinner the Vice President and his wife were hosts to relatives.

BURNED PLAYING SANTA.

Cleveland Woman Dies From Injuries When Dress Catches Fire.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 25 (AP).—While preparing to play Santa Claus for her seven-year-old son, Mrs. William P. Beck, 36, was fatally burned today.

Cotton trimmings on her home-made suit were ignited as she stood near a kitchen range heating glue with which to paste Santa Claus's whiskers on her face.

Mr. Beck, hearing the commotion, thought it was the boy screaming with delight, and knew nothing of his wife's predicament until she ran into his bedroom, her clothing afire. He rushed Mrs. Beck to the hospital, where she died several hours later.

RUSSIANS CELEBRATE PROSPEROUS FESTIVAL

This Christmas Is the Brightest Since Czarist Days—Good Cheer Abundant.

MOSCOW, Dec. 25 (AP).—Russia is celebrating the brightest Christmas it has had since the Czarist days. Real prosperity and good cheer have replaced famine and civil strife.

Moscow's stores, filled with foreign and domestic stocks of holiday gifts, have been crowded to their doors. Christmas trees are so cheap that almost every family has one. Toys to please every child's heart have been sold by the millions. Many of them came from Germany.

The spirit of Christmas extends even to the prisons and reformatories, where the usual rules have been relaxed. The prisoners are being given special holiday fare and motion picture entertainments. All the churches are crowded. In some of them candles are burning in front of every holy ikon. Although the Communists do not recognize Christmas or any other Christian holiday, all the Government's offices, factories and stores are closed for three days.

Unlimited supplies of the new 40 per cent. vodka have enabled even the poor to join in the festive Christmas spirit. Long lines of thirsty Russians, three deep and extending for blocks, waited in the cold from 6 o'clock yesterday morning until late in the afternoon for a fair share of the national drink.

Almost the whole of Russia is covered with deep snow, which gives an added Christmas touch to the scene. The only sad note to the picture is seen in the long lines of unemployed outside the labor exchanges and the great hordes of ragged, homeless and hungry children roaming the streets.

Although Russia has adopted the new calendar, the peasants and most of the religious people still observe the old Church calendar, which is thirteen days behind the new one. A majority of the Russians celebrate two Christmases, one Dec. 25 and the other Jan. 7.

LONDON CHRISTMAS MUGGY.

British Capital Has Its Nineteenth Yuletide Without Snow.

LONDON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Two-thirds of the British Isles had an old-fashioned white Christmas, but London's record for green ones is still unbroken, and today made the nineteenth without Christmas snow in the metropolis. It was a muggy day outdoors, but within the fires blazed cheerily, and all the time-honored festivities were carried out more extensively than in any year since the war.

There is a distinct note of peace and good-will in industry as the new year approaches. This is evidenced by the provisional agreement in the shipbuilding industry for the avoidance of disputes in the future, the miners' ballot, which is now progressing on a scheme intended to settle questions without stoppage of work, and the probable avoidance of a crisis in the railway world.

WEEKS SPENDS DAY IN BED.

Ex-Secretary and Wife in Capitol After South Carolina Wreck.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Christmas Day for John W. Weeks, former Secretary of War, and Mrs. Weeks meant confinement to bed, because of slight injuries received yesterday in a train collision near Charleston, S. C.

Both were suffering from shock, while Mrs. Weeks's back was injured and the former Cabinet officer received bruises on the face and head. Dr. B. L. Hardin who is attending them, was unable to indicate how long they would be confined to their hotel room.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeks arrived in Washington early today, and went direct to their hotel. A physician who had accompanied them from Charleston did not find it necessary to go to the hotel with them.

Triplets Are Early Yuletide Gift.

DOUGLASS, Kan., Dec. 25 (AP).—Just four days too early to be a genuine Christmas present, but nevertheless the first to arrive here in forty yeras, triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wade, Dec. 21, it became known today.

OLDEST TWINS MAKE MERRY

Fairfield (Conn.) Women, 93, Receive Christmas Tributes.

FAIRFIELD, Conn., Dec. 25 (AP).—Mary Sophia Dowd and Sarah Maria Seymour, believed to be the oldest twins in the United States, passed a quiet Christmas at their home here today as neighbors and friends visited them to extend the season's greetings and to pay a tokenof respect to the sisters, who were celebrating their ninety-third Christmas and who are looking forward to Jan. 9, when they will commence the ninety-fourth year of their lives.

The twins appeared to take the greatest enjoyment in watching the children playing about the house with Christmas toys.

They took a keen interest in the Yuletide activities. Surrounded by modern appliances of all kinds, they often speak of the great advancement the world has made during the past century.

Born on Jan. 9, 1833, the twins were so alike in appearance that when they went to school it was necessary for one to wear a string on her finger to identify her from the other.

POPE SPENDS FESTIVAL WITH HIS RELATIVES

Receives Thousands of Christmas Greetings, Pledging Devotion—Cardinal Hayes Gets Messages.

ROME, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Pope spent Christmas with the members of his family, who came to Rome from Milan and Desio. He received thousands of messages from all parts of the world. Some of these endorsed the ideas expressed by the Pontiff in his allocution at the recent secret consistory and in his encyclical, promising to follow his exhortations.

Cardinal Hayes, Archbishop of New York, also was the recipient of numerous messages from his diocese, expressing good wishes, and there were still other words of greeting from the Cardinals living in Rome.

CITY OPENS ITS HEART TO POOR AND NEEDY

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edged with white, and he proved to be a decidedly acrobatic visitor. In addition to the party at the clubhouse the Elks sent twenty-five radio sets to hospitals for the blind, shipped supplies to the Bowery Mission and endowed a bed in the Hospital for the Ruptured and Crippled.

The gift of the Elks to the Bowery Mission, at 227 Bowery, added to the big stock of good things which the officials had already assembled there. More of the Bowery habitués are in evidence this year than in any of recent time, according to officials, and the demand on the holiday was correspondingly larger. When the dinner bell rang at the mission yesterday 450 men, about 80 per cent. of them homeless and jobless, sat down to turkey et al. It was an unusual feast.

First, the homeless ones were stunned by the fact that the waiters were Tuxedoed. Secondly, an instrumental trio purveyed music while the turkey and the rest of the menu vanished. One of the diners was Arthur Mansfield, "that's all." Mansfield had the air of better days as he absentmindedly told the waiter that he would take his "coffee with the meat." One old chap, with generous whiskers, was so upset by the unaccustomed "tone" of the dinner that he went through the meal with his battered gloves on. But when he lifted the coffee cup he stuck his little finger out at a fetching angle. He said solemnly that his name was "Boston Willie."

Eat in Relays of 100.

Owing to the limitations of the mission, the hungry ones dined in relays of 100. The men waited in lines that extended to Stanton Street, and when they had been served they stopped at the door to thank Anson C. Baker, manager of the mission. One of them said he was particularly pleased with what he called the "atmosphere."

Christmas in the hospitals was jolly. Five hundred patients of the New York Hospital, 8 West Sixteenth Street, enjoyed a turkey dinner. Dr. Thomas Howell, Superintendent, said the celebration was the most successful the hospital has had in its 158 years of existence. The Billy Sunday Association supplied music and Christmas carols were sung by the hospital's staff of sixty nurse. Dr. G. Thompson, who had impersonated Santa Claus on Thursday, led the singing.

In St. Vincent's Hospital every ward was decorated with trees and holly donated by the school children of Greenwich Village. Here also the patients had a turkey dinner and well-filled stockings for the children's wards were donated by pupils of the University School. After the meal school children visited the wards and sang.

Under the supervision of Dr. Charles B. Bacon, Medical Superintendent of Welfare Island, the 1,200 patients in Metropolitan Hospital and the 900 in City Hospital celebrated the biggest Christmas they ever had over there. Radio sets were installed in the various wards and in the dining halls and motion pictures were displayed. Santa Claus visited the island and distributed toys and sweets to the children and more useful gifts to the older people.

There were thirty-five children yesterday in Presbyterian Hospital and they were the guests of Mrs. John S. Kennedy, wife of a former President of the Presbyterian Board of Managers. Mrs. Kennedy inaugurated the custom years ago. A special chimney was constructed in the hospital and one of the surgeons emerged from it bearing a big pack of presents. After the children's party Mrs. Kennedy gave a dinner to all of the patients and the staff of the hospital.

Parties in Hotels.

The holiday in the hotels was notable. All of them gave parties to their employes and there were trees and remembrances for the guests. At the Hotel Roosevelt speeches of German statesmen, recorded by a new device, were broadcast as greeting from Germany to this country.

At the Waldorf-Astoria bell-boys, elevator men, floor clerks and maids split a $2,000 Christmas gift from a man registered at the hotel. Another guest gave each elevator man $10. The employes, explained the management of the hotel, had agreed to keep the name of the donor of the $2,000 a secret at his request.

Gifts for Disabled Veterans.

The activities of the New York County Chapter of the American Legion were numerous. In addition to taking care of the disabled war veterans here, the chapter sent gifts throughout the country. Points to which presents were sent included Veterans' Hospital 98 at Beacon, N. Y., and to veterans' institutions at Denver, Chillicothe, Compton, Cal., and to hospitals in Washington.

Locally, many parties were arranged by various posts. Franklin Simon Company Post gave a party to 300 men on Ward's Island, supplying refreshments, entertainment and gifts. Jane A. Delano Post sent a Christmas box to all the men in the Marine Hospital on Staten Island, and also remembered disabled nurses at Beacon and in Washington.

Thomas B. Wanamaker Post delivered 1,500 Christmas gift stockings to hospitalized ex-service men in this city, and the City Club Post forwarded a tree, twenty-five feet high, to Ward's Island. Another tree for Ward's Island was the gift of Morningside Post. Electrical decorations on the grounds at Veterans' Hospital 81, Kingsbridge Road, the Bronx, were supplied by Western Electric Post.

Metropolitan Post was host at Seton Hospital, giving to each "buddy" there a pair of felt slipers, a pound of candy, packages of cigarettes and a program of entertainment. John Purroy Mitchel Post sent a Christmas tree to the Kingsbridge Road hospital, and candy for the same institution was the gift of Captain Belvidere Brooks Post. Yule labels for all Legion packages were furnished by the Tank Corps Post. The S. Rankin Drew Post provided a show at the Beacon Hospital, carrying a "bit of Broadway up the river." Most of the veterans in this post are actors or musicians.

The patients of the Bushwick Hospital, in Brooklyn, listened in by radio to Christmas programs. Through funds sent to Dr. John A. Ferguson, Superintendent of the hospital, each patient had individual ear phones. It was announced that the radio appliances would be made a permanent feature of the hospital.

Christmas has always been a festive occasion at the United States Naval Hospital at the Navy Yard in Brooklyn and yesterday was no exception. Under the direction of Captain N. J. Blackwood, in charge of the hospital, the Red Cross furnished all sorts of supplies. The trees in the hospital were supplied by the American Legion and were decorated by Girl Scouts and members of the Junior Red Cross. A midnight mass was celebrated by Captain M. C. Gleeson, chaplain of the hospital, and the Knights of Columbus distributed gifts. Vaudeville artists entertained during the afternoon and evening.

And the jails had their share of cheer, too. When the Mutual Welfare League distributed gifts to 1,350 prisoners in Sing Sing yesterday a pencil, which was part of the contents of the packages, was removed from the bags given to eighteen inmates of the death house. Among the condemned prisoners was Mrs. Fannie Soper, sentenced to die for the murder of her husband, who was a Deputy Sheriff at Boquet, N. Y. Mrs. Soper was presented with a box of candy and a pair of stockings by Mrs. Lewis Lawes, wife of the Warden of Sing Sing.

Christmas trees were set up in the prison hospital, in the mess hall and in the chapel. Among the gifts handed to the time-servers were calendars. Radio in the death house and a motion-picture show for the other convicts completed the program.

Lazarus Levy, Warden of the West Side Jail, served turkey to his 100 charges. Matron Mary Riordan sang carols and, after the morning session of West Side Court, Magistrates Andrew McRery and Max S. Levine paid the prisoners a visit. The Magistrates sent in several boxes of cigars and in expressing the hope that the prisoners were spending a "merry Christmas," the Judges added a hope that "you get out by New Year's." The Magistrates expressed regret that their own official action had put some of the prisoners back of the bars for Christmas.

Down in Ludlow Street Jail the "Alimony Club" dined well. The jail had twenty-eight tenants yesterday. There was no entertainment program for the club members.

In twelve institutions under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, the customary dinner was provided for a total of 4,300 inmates. In addition to the meal the inmates received a box of candy, and religious services were conducted by the representatives of the various faiths. August Goldner, steward of the department, estimated that the feast required 5,500 pounds of chicken, 2,500 pounds of various supplies and nearly 3,000 pounds of potatoes.

Police Department's Party.

More than 200 children were in the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, Park Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, where the Police Department staged its party. The program was in charge of members of the Glee Club, and they provided a huge tree and heaped the little ones with gifts. The children were taken to and from the party in automobiles placed at the service of the policemen. Lieutenant Patrick G. Fitzgibbons was master of ceremonies. Later the Police Band appeared and the big drill hall reechoed to lively airs.

Approximately 1,000 sailors were the guests of the Seamen's Church Institute, 25 South Street, and every sick sailor in port accessible to the officials of the institute was remembered with a gift. Knitted articles for wear at sea were distributed. Sailors stationed on the idle fleet of Shipping Board vessels off Jones Point, in the Hudson at Peekskill, were not forgotten. Services at 10:30 A. M. opened the sailors' festival, which lasted until late last night.

At the Level Club, St. Nicholas Avenue and 156th Street, members gave a party and distributed 1,000 Christmas baskets to the poor of the neighborhood. The baskets were, perhaps, the most elaborate of any distributed yesterday.

Courtland Field Bishop brought comfort and warmth to hundreds yesterday through distribution of blankets at the Catharine Mission, 22-24 Catharine Slip. This custom was begun years ago by Mr. Bishop's mother, when she founded the mission, and he has maintained it.

The New York League of Business and Professional Women kept open house from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M. in their club house at 25 East Thirty-ninth Street, for all business women alone in the city.

Urbain J. Ledoux, who calls himself "Mr. Zero," fed more than 1,000 men in the open space at Bayard Street leading to the Manhattan Bridge Plaza. A bonfire was kept going all afternoon and the men dined on "turkey mulligan" and pie, while Ledoux constantly ordered his assistants to "feed 'em all up to the gizzard." The open air feast was held with the cooperation of the police and with the permission of Edward A. Byrne, Chief Engineer of the Department of Plant and Structures. "Mr. Zero" also gave out 1,000 pairs of warm socks.

Turkey Dinner for "Newsies."

Seventy boys who live at the Brace Memorial Newsboys' House of the Children's Aid Society at 244 William Street enjoyed a Christmas turkey dinner. The Christmas festivities at the house began on Wednesday, followed by a Christmas Eve entertainment, and culminated with the turkey dinner. The affair is given annually to the boys by Thomas W. Lamont in memory of Evert Jansen Wendell, a "friend of boys world-wide," according to the program.

W. L. Butcher, Superintendent of the house, spoke briefly to the "newsies," and told of the repairs that had just been completed which made the modernized Newsboys' House one of the finest in the country.

There was a tree in the assembly hall on Christmas Eve, each boy receiving a penknife, belt, candy and oranges. William Siegrist Jr. acted as master of ceremonies.

About 500 men, women and children gathered at the Judson memorial gymnasium in Washington Square for a Christmas Day dinner given them by the Advertising Club of New York.

Grover A. Whalen of the John Wanamaker Company, head of the Christmas Day Committee, spoke before the assembled guests. Those who officiated as the hosts and hostesses included Mr. and Mrs. Shepard G. Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. Scott R. Benjamin, J. W. Brown Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Carothers, Miss Ida Clarke, William Edgell, Gates Ferguson, Charles C. Green, R. B. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Houston, Charles E. Powers, William F. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elliot Sproul, Mr. and Mrs. George French and Miss Rae Handwerger.

The barracks of Governors Island took on a festive air when eighty small boys and three girls from Brooklyn and Manhattan helped the soldiers at the army post to celebrate Christmas. The children set out from the Salvation Army settlements at 92 Cherry Street and 28 Raymond Street, Brooklyn. A guard of honor, sent by Colonel Stanley H. Ford of the Sixteenth Infantry, commanding Fort Jay, met the incoming boat and the visitors were divided among the twelve companies. Around the various tables privates and sergeants clasped hands with their big-eyed guests while turkey and all the trimmings were brought into sight. From a Christmas tree placed in each mess hall the soldiers took off presents for the youngsters. A regimental band furnished music.

Colonel Ford and Brigadier L. M. Simonson of the Salvation Army were the chief organizers of the party.

At the invitation of the officers and crew of the Scout Cruiser Seattle and the battleship Wyoming Santa Claus visited the navy yard in Brooklyn. Before visiting the yard Santa paid a clandestine visit to Commander Charles Crosse, Executive Officer of the Seattle, and Chaplain J. J. McNair of the Wyoming to get suggestions as to the wants of the 260 children invited to spend Christmas Day on board the fighting craft of Uncle Sam.

Santa slid down the funnels of the vessels wih as much ease as he negotiates the chimneys of private homes on shore. He evidently went aboard the Wyoming first, for there he left articles of clothing and toys for the children who were to arrive on the vessel later in the day. On the Seattle he left an order redeemable at a large department store for three dollars in merchandise.

The selection of the children who were to be the guests of the fighting sailors was left to charitable organizations.

The 100 guests of the Seattle were met at the gangplank by Admiral S. S. Robison, in charge of the United States naval forces, and Mrs. Robison, Chief Yeoman John Cole, in the guise of Santa Claus, escorted the visitors below decks, where they sat down to dinner prepared by the ship's cooks. Following this was an entertainment by volunteers from the Albee Theatre and the Naval Y. M. C. A. After the entertainment Santa Claus Cole distributed the merchandise orders left by the real Santa Claus and boxes of candy.

On board the Wyoming 160 children went through an experience almost similar. After eating a turkey dinner the guests participated in an entertainment provided by professionals and members of the crew. After the entertainment the toys and articles of wearing apparel were distirbuted, and then came an inspection of the vessel.

Between 1,500 and 2,000 of Uncle Sam's enlisted men stationed on destroyers and auxiliary vessels tied up at the Brooklyn yard enjoyed their Christmas dinner aboard ship. Turkey, of course, was the main item on the menu. After dinner as many of the men as could be spared were given shore leave.

The various political clubs in Brooklyn distributed Christmas baskets. The Salvation Army supplied Christmas dinners to the poor of the borough from its headquarters at 28 Raymond Street. Adjutant Minnie Robinson supervised the distribution of 1,000 baskets, each containing sufficient food to last a family of six persons at least two days.

Brooklyn Lodge of Elks gave away 1,500 baskets at the lodge headquarters at 150 South Oxford Street. Daniel A. McCann, Chairman of the Christmas Basket Committee, was in charge.

Santa in a Pony Cart.

Santa Claus drove up to the door of the George MacMonigle Association clubhouse at Neptune Avenue and Cortlandt Street, Coney Island, in a pony cart loaded with presents.

Within and around the doors outside had assembled 3,000 children, who greeted the good saint with cheers. Presents of fruit, candy and toys were distributed to every child in the crowd. There were enough gifts to supply the children's wards of the Coney Island Hospital and the Harbor Hospital at Bensonhurst later in the day.

Following the children's party grownups gathered for a dinner last night. Edward Blakeman of Coney Island took the part of Santa Claus. A total of 250 Christmas baskets were distributed to the poor of Coney Island.

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1 Eastern Mink Coat	3,200	2,400
1 Eastern Mink Coat	3,500	2,400
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,500	1,600
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,600	1,800
1 Eastern Mink Coat	1,800	1,400
1 Mink Coat	1,650	1,250
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,500	1,700
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,400	1,700
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,100	1,600
1 Eastern Mink Coat	2,400	1,700
1 Mink Coat	1,500	975
1 Mink Coat	1,250	850
1 Eastern Mink Coat	3,700	2,400

SQUIRREL COATS

	Originally	Now
1 Natural Squirrel Coat	$550	$375
1 Natural Squirrel Coat with Fox	650	400
2 Natural Squirrel Coats	675	450
1 Natural Squirrel Coat	650	400
1 Natural Squirrel Coat	595	375
1 Cocoa Squirrel Coat	650	325
1 Viatka Squirrel Coat with Fox	850	500
1 Summer Squirrel Coat with Fox	750	400
1 Summer Squirrel Coat	595	300
1 Short Dyed Squirrel	395	200
1 Sable Dyed Squirrel with Fox	495	275

HUDSON SEAL COATS

	Originally	Now
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Fox Border	$395	$265
1 Hudson Seal Coat, untrimmed	450	285
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Kolinsky	495	325
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Squirrel	450	285
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Rose Squirrel	575	350
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Jap Mink	595	350
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Kolinsky	595	350
1 Hudson Seal Coal with Summer Squirrel	475	300
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Black Muskrat	425	275
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Silver Fitch	400	265
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Natural Fitch	525	325
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Natural Fitch	595	350
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Silver Fitch	475	300
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Silver Fitch	375	250
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Muskrat	450	285
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Black Rat	475	300
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Red Skunk	350	225
1 Hudson Seal Coat with Civet Cat	425	275
2 Hudson Seal Coats with Mink	595	350

OTHER FUR COATS FOR AFTERNOON

	Originally	Now
2 Mole Coats with Sitka Fox	$475	$300
1 Mole Cape with Sitka Fox	575	375
1 Mole Cape with Sitka Fox	550	350
1 Brown American Broadtail with Viatka Squirrel	375	200
1 Brown American Broadtail Coat	550	275
1 Brown American Broadtail	400	200
1 Brown American Broadtail with Fox	550	275
2 Brown American Broadtail	550	275
1 American Broadtail with Fox	550	275
1 Persian Lamb Coat	495	250
1 Persian Lamb Coat	450	225
1 Japanese Mink Coat	800	450

SPORTS COATS FOR MISSES

	Originally	Now
1 Nutria Coat	$550	$350
1 Nutria Coat	400	300
1 Nutria Coat	375	275
1 Beaver Short Coat	625	400
1 Leopard with Black Fox	750	450
1 Antelope with Fox	450	225
1 Antelope Coat	350	200
1 Leopardine with Black Fox	395	200
1 Gazelle Coat	350	200
1 Wild Cat, Tailored Nutria Collar	275	175
1 Silver Muskrat	475	275
1 Golden Muskrat	350	225
1 Plucked Sisliki	275	175
1 Short Hudson Seal with Dyed Fitch	350	175
1 Muskrat Coat	275	175
1 Muskrat Coat	250	150
1 Muskrat Coat	275	150
1 Muskrat Coat	250	150
5 Short Coats	210 to 400	100

FUR SALON—FIRST FLOOR

CATHEDRAL SERMON IS PLEA FOR COURT

Bishop Manning Asks That the Faith of Christmas Stir People to Demand Entry.

THRONGS FILL ST. JOHN'S

Evergreens and Electric Star Add to Symbolism of Day in Impressive Service.

In a voice that gained added earnestness as it rose to echo in the dim vaulted roof of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Bishop William T. Manning, preaching his Christmas sermon yesterday, asked that this country enter the World Court as a step appropriate to this time of peace on earth, good-will toward men.

The great church on the hill, looming impressively through the flurries of snow and the drifting mist, was occupied to capacity. About 2,000 persons were within when the 11 o'clock services were begun. The oaken choir stalls were draped in festooned greens. The white altar, where the colorfully vestmented clerics moved, shone vividly against a background of fir and holly.

Suspended from the high dome above the sanctuary a great electric Star of Bethlehem hung, strikingly effective as it came into light with the first notes of the rumbling organ undertoning the processional hymn of "O, Come, All Ye Faithful." Enhancing its symbolism was the fact that the star hung in the eastern end of the Cathedral.

Assisting Bishop Manning in the service were Dean Howard C. Robbins, the Rev. J. M. Ericsson, Precentor of the Cathedral, and Canons Robert E. Jones and George F. Nelson. Bishop Manning's sermon was entitled "The Three Messages That Christmas Brings to Us." His text was St. Luke 11:14: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men."

"Greatest Day in History."

"How much the word Christmas means to all of us!" said Dr. Manning. "There is no other day that stirs and touches our hearts as this day does. It spreads the spirit of joy and peace and good-will everywhere. It seems to lift our human life up into actual contact with the life of Heaven.

"It is very wonderful to see the power that Christmas has in the world as it comes to us each year. And it is natural that it should be so. For Christmas is the greatest day of all human history. It is the birthday of Him whom we trust and follow and worship as the Son of God. On this day at Bethlehem the angels sang the first great Christmas carol in words dear and familiar to all of us, words which have become the hope of all mankind: 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men.'

"Let me remind you this morning of three heavenly messages which Christmas brings to us.

"First, Christmas reminds us of the continuing and ever-increasing power of Jesus Christ in this world. Think of that night nearly two thousand years ago when He came into this world. 'For us men and for our salvation He came down from Heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary and was made man.' How little the world then understood or noted His coming. But today as never before the world is realizing that its one hope is in the Christ of Bethlehem.

"We find no difficulty in believing the supernatural facts about Him as declared in the gospel, for His whole work in this world has been one continuing miracle. From the day of His birth He has continued His divine work in this world with ever increasing power and blessing for mankind. No wonder that on that first Christmas the angels sang their chorus in the heavens: 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men.

The Simplicity of Faith.

"Secondly, Christmas calls us back to the true simplicity and beauty of our faith as Christians.

"We have had too much of controversy and theorizing and abstract discussion about religion. We want to feel its heavenly beauty, its blessed comfort, its divine power. It is this which Christmas brings to us. At Christmas we come into the presence of Christ Himself. We come like the shepherds to kneel before Him who was laid in the manger. In His blessed presence our doubts and questions vanish.

"The words of faith come naturally and joyfully from all our hearts: 'Oh, come, let us adore Him.' These are the words which express our faith at Christmas': 'Oh, come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.'

"Thirdly, Christmas speaks to us of the joy and strength and peace which Christ, and Christ alone, has power to give to this troubled world.

"Where do we go to find the words of life and hope for the discouraged and despairing? Where do we go to find comfort for those who mourn, and forgiveness for all who have sinned and fallen short? Where do we go to find the way of light and love and peace for all men? We go to Him who was born in Bethlehem. If His teachings were followed, selfishness and injustice and sin would vanish from the earth. Wars would cease. Righteousness and love and peace would reign. The Kingdom of Heaven would come among us. And this Christmas the message 'Peace on earth' sounds in our ears more hopefully than ever before.

Plea for World Court.

"All over the world men and women are filled with the desire to end war and bring in peace. The conference held at Locarno marks the highest point ever reached on the road toward fellowship among the nations.

"Here in our own land we are now determined to associate ourselves with the World Court, though political influences are at present still holding us back.

"May the Christmas faith and the Christmas spirit stir our whole people to demand in terms unmistakable that politics shall cease and that this action shall no longer be delayed. For we know that this action is in harmony with that heavenly song first heard at Bethlehem, 'Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men.' "

Turkey's Gizzard Yields Diamond.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 25 (AP).—Santa Claus made a turkey his emissary yesterday to the family of Andrew Premos, a resident of New Orleans. Mrs. Premos was preparing for Christmas dinner a gobbler purchased by her husband when she felt an unusually hard substance within the bird's gizzard. Closer inspection revealed that the turkey had swallowed an unset diamond estimated to be worth several hundred dollars.

2 Killed on Way to Chritsmas Dinner

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 25 (AP).—Hurrying to the homes of relatives for Christmas dinner, Mrs. Martha Brown and her daughter Esther of Columbus were killed east of the city when a traction car struck their automobile, which had skidded across the tracks. The machine caught fire and the occupants were taken from it by a farmer, who had witnessed the accident from his home. Another daughter, Eva Brown, is in a local hospital with possibly fatal

CHRISTMAS TREE GONE WITH ITS TRIMMINGS

Boys Are Blamed for Disappearance From Outside a Boston Church.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—An illuminated Christmas tree which stood outside the Dudley Street Baptist Church, flashing a message of peace and good-will to passersby, was missing today. It had been stolen during the night. Its electric wiring had been cut and the tree, with all its decorations, carried away.

Police investigating the theft blame mischievous boys, and the pastor, the Rev. Arthur T. Brooks, advocated a good spanking rather than a jail sentence if they were caught.

IOWA FAMILY OF 50 GATHER.

Couple Give Big Dinner for 13 Children and 35 Grandchildren.

Special to The New York Times.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Dec. 25.—Probably the most remarkable Christmas dinner in Iowa was given today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Betts in Coon Rapids, when their thirteen children and thirty-five grandchildren assembled around the family board.

On the table was almost every article of food that is raised on a farm, from turkey to nuts. Six large turkeys were required to feed the guests, and the potatoes, gravy, bread, salads, pies, cakes, butter, coffee, milk and fruit made piles high enough to stop a wondering crowd in front of a restaurant.

At Harlan, Ia., there was a gathering of four generations at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Burcham, who on Tuesday celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary. Their eight children and twenty grandchildren and great-grandchildren enjoyed a family reunion and Christmas dinner. There are nineteen grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren. The others were unable to be present.

CHRISTMAS BURGLAR SCARE

Chicagoan Fires 12 Shots When Maid's Mistake Alarms Guest.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—Wolcott Blair, who was host to the Prince of Wales on his Chicago visit, enlivened the Christmas dawn in the vicinity of his home at 720 Rush Street by firing twelve shots from a window after a woman guest had shrieked that there were burglars in her room.

Watson F. Blair, father of Wolcott, said that one of the maids, preparing to go to an early mass, went into Mrs. Webster's room by mistake after she had arranged to call another maid who was to accompany her.

Mrs. Webster, who is Chairman of the Social Hygiene Committee of the National League of Women Voters, heard a step beside her bed and saw a flashlight turned into her face. She lay quiet until the maid, seeing her mistake, retired. Then Mrs. Webster screamed.

TWO MEN END LIVES AFTER PARIS REVELS

One With a Cheerful Farewell Leaps in River; Other Shoots Himself on Return Home.

BUT THE CITY ITSELF IS GAY

Gloom of the Falling Franc and Financial Worry Gives Way to the Spirit of Christmas.

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PARIS, Dec. 25. — Two suicides this morning closed Paris's somewhat hectic Christmas revellion.

At 5 o'clock a taxi driver was hailed by a reveler in the Place Pigalle.

"Drive me to the Place de l'Alma," was his order.

The young man, whose evening linen showed signs of his having danced vigorously and gayly, climbed into the cab. When he reached his destination near the river, he stepped out, paid the fare and merrily wished the driver a Merry Christmas.

"Good-bye, old man," he said, as they shook hands. "Don't ever worry."

Then he strolled toward the bridge over the swollen Seine. In the lamplight the taxi driver saw him suddenly leap on the parapet and dive before he could move to prevent him.

It will be a day or two before the river will give up its dead.

Another, a Russian, chose a revolver with which to end his last night of merriment. In the hallway of his hotel, as he returned after spending the night in a restaurant run by a compatriot, he shot himself and to the tragedy a curious feature was added when an unknown person who had followed him into the hotel darted forward at once, snatched up the revolver and fled. The dead man had 10 francs in his pocket.

PARIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Paris turned its back on the fallen franc and the country's financial despondency and celebrated the gayest and most unrestrained Christmas Eve the capital has seen since 1914.

In spite of the gloomy forecasts made by many newspapers even as late as yesterday afternoon, the traditional Gallic joyousness and spirit of Christmas took Paris by storm early in the evening, and, aided by the mildness of the weather and the absence of rain, kept the citizens crowding the streets and the cafés until the early morning hours.

Long after the rest of Paris had struggled sleepily to bed, independent Montmartre continued to celebrate, and the streets around the Place Pigalle were still filled with boisterous merrymakers at 8 o'clock this morning.

The gayety was everywhere, in rich and poor quarters alike. The crowds made walking on the boulevards almost impossible until long after 2 A. M., every one seeming surprised at the unexpected success of the revellion but all taking delight in it nevertheless.

Montmartre, to which the Americans were especially diverted, was crammed to the bursting point, many cabarets hanging up the sold-out sign by 1 o'clock. The starry sky was the limit for turkey and goose suppers, and champagne, commencing at $4, finished at prices which looked to most Americans like the figures of the French debt.

The cost of a supper averaged 500 francs (about $20) in the districts along the Champs Elysées and around the Opéra, but prices in the Latin Quartier and Montparnasse were more reasonable.

Midinettes filled the Bal Bullier, the Bal Tabarin and other great dance halls. Workmen kept their own little bals musettes going in full swing.

The midnight mass provided the only break in the reverly and packed Paris's most famous churches. This morning the streets were deserted until 11 o'clock when the Parisiana, in soberer mood, sallied out to attend services.

Every newspaper today agreed that this Christmas celebration was quite as gay as any pre-war reveillon on record, although La Liberté sneers at "a dollar and pound Christmas" and the Communist L'Humanité waxes indignant over "the scandalous scenes in Mortmartre while soldiers are dying in the Riff and Syria."

The average Parisian, however, feels that he has treated himself to the merriest Christmas he has seen for a long time.

HIS FREEDOM A YULE GIFT.

Prisoner, Convicted in Auto Death, Gets a New Trial.

An order granting a new trial to Carmine Testa, 21 years old, of 31 Third Street, New Dorp, S. I., and signed by County Judge Harry Tiernan on Christmas Eve, enabled Testa, who is serving from five to ten years in Sing Sing, to spend Christmas at home. He was welcomed by his wife and child, his mother and father, four sisters and five brothers. He was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree as a result of the death of Catherine Smith, 10 years old, who was struck by his motor car on Oct. 3, 1924.

A. M. Reigl, an attorney, of Stapleton, obtained two affidavits, signed by Christopher Hansen and his wife Edith. They said they were riding in an automobile behind Testa's at the time of the accident, and that Testa was not driving the car when it struck the child. Judge Tiernan questioned Mr. and Mrs. Hansen, after which he granted a new trial and signed an order for the release of Testa. The latter was required to furnish a bond of $5,000. He said his freedom was the best Christmas present he ever received.

Pinchots Give Candy to Children.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—Packages of candy, the gifts of Governor and Mrs. Pinchot, were presented to the Harrisburg children who called at the Executive Mansion today. This custom was begun by former Governor Hastings. Distribution was made by James G. Auter, a messenger in the Governor's office, who has presented the candy since inauguration of the custom.

ON HOLIDAY MISSION, HE IS KILLED BY TAXI

Bookdealer Struck, Copies of "Christmas Carol" for Little Friends Strewn on Street.

AUTO HITS POLE; ONE DEAD

Another Occupant Is Only Slightly Hurt—Car Skids, Upsets and Burns Driver to Death.

Henry Saletan, 56 years old, of 2,178 Broadway, started out to emulate Santa Claus yesterday by making gifts of Charles Dickens's "Christmas Carol" to little folk of his acquaintance, but he was fatally injured by a taxicab at Broadway and Seventy-sixth Street. He died an hour after the accident in Roosevelt Hospital of a fracture of the skull and internal injuries. His little store of gifts, which had been scattered over the pavement, were placed in the taxicab, which hurried him to the hospital, and later were taken to the West Sixty-eighth Street Station, awaiting claim by his relatives.

Mr. Saletan kept a book store at 2,157 Broadway for more than ten years and specialized in children's books. Hundreds of little boys and girls were his patrons, and those whom he found to have pronounced leanings toward literature he encouraged occasionally by gifts of books. He felt that the "Christmas Carol" had a good influence on children, and usually distributed copies unexpectedly among his little friends.

Irving Borock of 152 East Third Street, driver of the taxicab, when taken to the station on a technical homicide charge, said that Mr. Saletan had got in the path of the taxicab and before he could stop he was knocked down.

One man was killed and another escaped with slight injuries at 4 o'clock yesterday morning when the automobile in which they were riding got out of control and struck a telegraph pole on the Hempstead-Jamaica road, near Elmont, L. I. Charles Salo, 30 years old, of Sixth Avenue, Garden City, who was seated beside the driver, William E. Johnson of Garden City Park, was hurled through the windshield and his jugular vein severed. He died a few minutes later. Johnson received cuts and bruises. One headlight of the car crashed through the plate glass window of a grocery twenty feet from the pole. Johnson was held without bail later by Justice of the Peace Walter R. Jones at Hempstead for a hearing on a homicide charge. He said that he was avoiding a collision with another car coming toward him when his car got out of control.

Wilmer Batten, 58 years old, an automobile dealer of Millville, N. J., was burned to death last evening on a road three miles south of his home when the automobile he was driving caught fire after skidding on the ice and turning over. The automobile had been totally destroyed before the accident was discovered.

Bert Smith, 21 years old, of 171 Pike Street, Port Jervis, N. Y., received a fracture of the skull and internal injuries at 10 o'clock yesterday morning when the motor bus he was driving skidded on a down grade at Cuddebackville, eight miles from his home, and was demolished by a passenger train on the Ontario & Western Railroad. The only passenger in the bus, Mrs. Mary Tompson of the same address, escaped with slight bruises, although the locomotive of the train rolled the bus over three times and crushed it against the small railroad station at the crossing, demolishing the latter also. Smith was removed in an ambulance to St. Francis Hospital, Port Jervis.

Ten men and women passengers in three automobiles were badly shaken up yesterday afternoon when one car got out of control, struck another car on Newark Turnpike between Harrison and Jersey City and then crashed into the third car parked at the curb. Peter Sinkiew, 31 years old, of 309 Second Street, Harrison, driver of the first car, and Henry Powlikowsky, 29 years old, of 154 Suffolk Street, Jersey City, driving the second, received cuts from glass. They were attended by an ambulance surgeon from Jersey City Hospital.

After the crash a patrolman discovered fragments of whisky bottles on the pavement. Witnesses said the bottles had been thrown out of one of the cars. The policeman took Sinkiew and Powlikowsky to the station, where they were examined by Dr. William Doody, a police surgeon, but he said the men were not intoxicated.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 25.—One man was seriously injured and three others suffered minor injuries tonight when three cars were wrecked in a triple crash on the Absecon Boulevard between Atlantic City and Absecon.

Frank Kukins, 52 years old, of 506 North Michigan Avenue, had a broken leg. He was rushed to the City Hospital here by State troopers in a passing automobile.

Others who sustained injuries were: Nelson E. Welch, 18 years old, of 126 North Rhode Island Avenue, cuts about the hands and face, shock and contusions of the body; Charles R. Doyle of 45 North Dover Avenue, lacerations and contusions; Ray R. Laxon of 506 North Michigan Avenue, lacerations, contusions and shock.

According to State police a machine driven by Welch, proceeding toward this city, and that driven by Doyle, who was going in the opposite direction, collided. How Laxon's machine became mixed in the crash has not been fully learned, but it is believed that he was following Doyle's car and was unable to stop.

Community Carol Singing at Pelham

Special to The New York Times.

PELHAM, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Community carol singing around the tree on the grounds of the Pelham Memorial High School last evening was in charge of Walter B. Parsons. The Gloria Trumpeters presented a program. The audience joined in community singing.

GOV. SMITH HAS QUIET DAY.

He Goes to Church in Albany, Then Dines With Family.

ALBANY, Dec. 25 (AP).—Christmas for Governor Smith and his family was a day quietly observed within the seclusion of the Executive's home, with the exception of attendance at church. Beyond his immediate family, the Governor had as guests for the day only his brother-in-law, Lawrence Dunn, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farrell.

Gathered about the Christmas tree in the executive drawing room today were two new members of the family, the wives of Alfred Jr. and Arthur, who were married during the past year. These, with the guests, attended a morning Christmas celebration at church and returned directly to the mansion for a typical Yuletide dinner.

JURY ARGUES HOLIDAY AWAY.

All Christmas Eve Goes Before a Disagreement Is Reported.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Deliberating over a $200,000 suit was the way in which a jury of Judge Joseph Walsh's Suffolk County Civil Session passed Christmas Eve and part of the holiday today before reporting a disagreement in time to get home for Christmas dinner. Both Judge and jury remained up all night in hope that a decision would be reached.

The suit was brought by the closed Tremont Trust Company against Nathan A. Pelonsky, a wholesale dry goods merchant, to recover on a note for $155,893, alleged to have been given to the Trust Company on Nov. 11, 1920. The note was signed and endorsed by Pelonsky as Treasurer of the Napel Mills Company.

Pelonsky maintained the note was obtained by conspiracy and false representation under threat of financial ruin.

ITALIAN ROYALTY GATHER.

King and Queen Have Humbert and Yolanda as Christmas Guests.

ROME, Dec. 25 (AP).—King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena enjoyed Christmas with their children about them. Crown Prince Humbert and Princess Yolanda, who is now the wife of Count Calvi Di Bevgolo, came to Rome for the festivities, which took place at the Villa Savoia on the outskirts of the city. A colossal Christmas tree was covered with gifts.

Premier Mussolini spent Christmas with the family of his brother, Arnaldo, at Milan. He received messages from every part of Italy approving his policies, and a number also from Fascist groups abroad.

Hold-Up Men Get Christmas Cash.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Crowding his machine into the curb with their automobile, two armed holdup men today robbed Louis Abramovitz, a provision dealer, of $1,220, the cash receipts of Christmas Eve business in his three local stores. After striking his machine, the holdup men drew revolvers and forced Abramovitz and his chauffeur to alight and be searched. The bandits escaped in their car.

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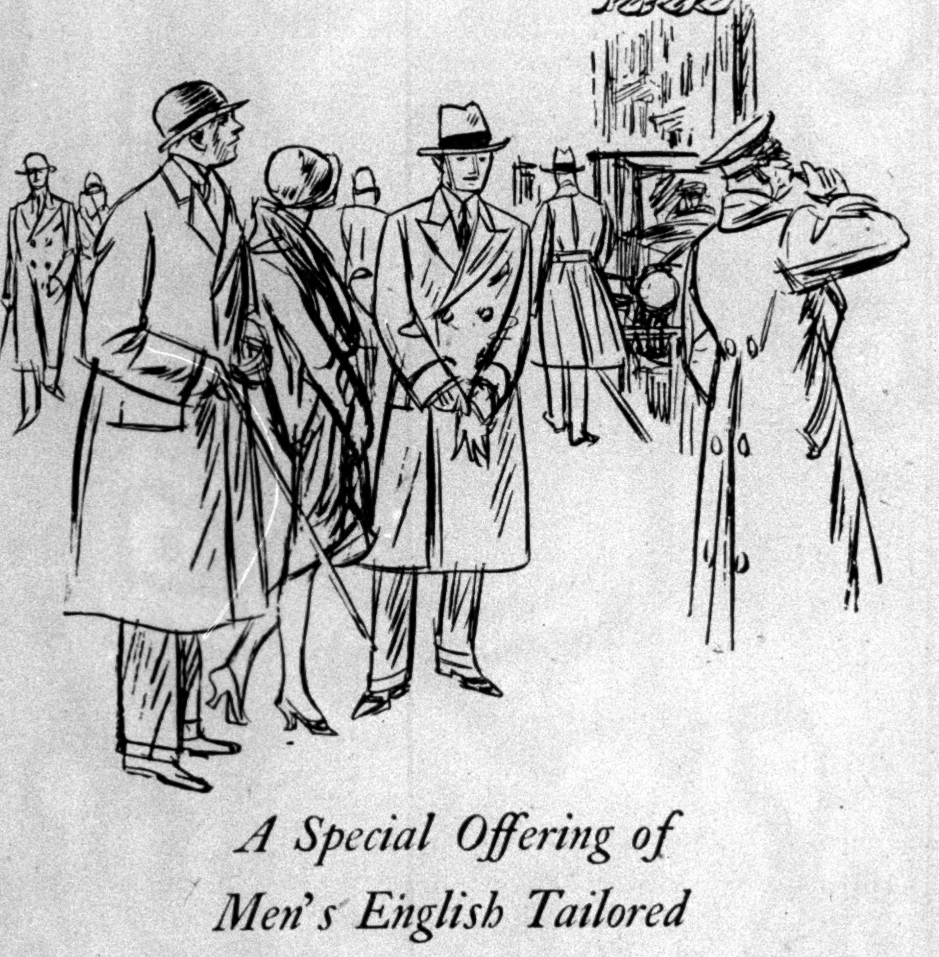

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MODERN INDUSTRY A FIXTURE IN CHINA

Economic Evolution Is Viewed as Aid to Both Native and Foreign Interests.

CHINESE EMULATE JAPANESE

Influence of Outside Capital on Their Trade Enterprises Is Losing Its Power.

CHINA AS A BUYING CENTRE

Progress in This Direction Is Seen as Coinciding With Its Industrial Growth.

By THOMAS F. MILLARD.

Special Correspondent of The New York Times.

SHANGHAI, Nov. 28.—Economic results of the introduction and development of modern industrialism in China have two sides—effects in this country and effects on foreign nations.

Foreigners are almost entirely responsible for bringing modern industrialism to China; therefore, they are estopped morally from complaining at whatever eventual results to them and to their nations which may come from that action.

However, it is pertinent to state and to remember that even if foreigners had not brought large factory and mechanical production here it is as sure as anything can be that Chinese would have done that. I regard this shift from old to new methods of production in China as inevitable. It was impossible for this nation to build an economic wall around itself and lag forever 1,000 years behind the remainder of the world.

In estimating what is likely to eventuate from modern industrial development in China we have almost a parallel case for example. This is Japan. The first Western impact found Japan approximately in the same stage of industrial development as China was then. Manufacturing chiefly was done in homes. Wage scale and living standards were about equal. It was not foreign influence and initiative, however, that brought the big factory system to Japan, although foreigners helped considerably and they were useful. That was a case of Japanese seeing an opportunity and a presumed improvement and taking steps to bring it about.

How Japan Solved Problem.

In beginning that shift Japan labored under some similar disabilities to those now obtaining in China. Exterritoriality existed, and foreigners almost had control of channels of Japan's budding foreign commerce. Japanese then had not learned how to conduct that trade without foreign aid. In time the Japanese rid themselves of those inhibitions and restraints, and gradually took over functions previously exercised by foreigners.

One has heard much talk about how Japanese have "squeezed" foreigners out of business in Japan. That foreigners have been pretty well eliminated from occupations which they formerly had there is so, but how could that have been prevented?

The relation of foreigners to business in Japan now is much the same and in about the same proportion as foreign agencies and resident brokers and managers in the United States have to the commerce of our nation. As time passes they grow in number and importance, but they perform different functions. They are balanced nowadays by an equal number of Americans as agents and salesmen and technical experts in other countries.

Trade between nations cannot be carried on successfully by one set of nationals remaining at home and shipping goods to another set of nationals who also stick at home. Personal contact is required. As trade grows among nations there is more and more journeying of their nationals back and forth, and foreign agencies and branches in all countries become more advantageous.

Foreigners began the large factory system here, but already it is slipping out of their hands. In time it will pass from them almost altogether. I believe that will occur even if complete restoration of China's national sovereignty is postponed indefinitely; for a foreign political suzerainty cannot prevent nor resist the slow, steady pressure of Chinese economic undercutting and passive non-cooperation.

A good deal is printed in these times about how China (because of political weakness) is falling under foreign capitalist and economic ownership and control. It is pointed out how what are termed her "basic industries," such as iron and textiles and mines, are getting into foreign hands.

If China regains her sovereignty it will matter very little ultimately who started and who at any given moment owns and operates her basic or any other industries. It will matter no more than does the fact now that British and other foreign capital at one time owned a large part of cattle and fruit ranches in the United States, and perhaps a majority of American railway shares and bonds, and had immense holdings in nearly every kind of development in our country.

If Americans want to take over such that remain of those foreign investments they can do so; and foreign Governments would not be able to prevent that. It is possible for any really independent and autonomous nation to legislate foreign capital and management out of a country, and to limit foreign ownership of its important industries. I am not arguing that it is advantageous for any modern nation to do that, I am only indicating that it can be done.

Foreigners Blazing the Trail.

Chinese therefore are not bothering much now about what is termed the foreign capitalist and industrial "invasion" of China. They understand that these enterprises are doing needed pioneer work, are blazing a trail and often losing experimental money, while Chinese observe and study and learn. Thinking Chinese know, I believe, that when all is said and done these industries are in China and must stay here or die, and when Chinese are ready to take them over there is nothing that foreigners can do to prevent that.

A foreigner who was born in China and has lived here all his life except for some schooling in his home country, and who manages a large manufacturing and import and export business, said to me not long ago:

"The hold of foreigners on manufacturing and other kinds of business here is passing. I doubt if it will last out my time. Chinese are learning the game as foreigners play it, and once they have learned that, it is impossible to prevent them from squeezing us out of any business which they want to own and control. They have too many ways of doing that which we cannot beat.

"If Chinese want to oust foreigners from management and ownership of, let us say, a factory, they effect obscure combinations, and that factory therefrom will not be able to show a profit. Here and there by exercise of especial cleverness foreigners may be able to stave off the inevitable for some years, but in the end the Chinese will wear them out, and they will be glad to sell. Chinese may make a failure of a business after they get it; but in that case they usually can unload it on other Chinese or perhaps on other foreigners.

"In the end all profitable factories and businesses here will be owned principally and managed by Chinese. This will not necessarily reduce the number of foreigners here. But they will be principally employes, not owners. In some cases they may be partners, as in Japan. Purely foreign-owned and managed factories and businesses never will be able to carry on in China hereafter; I mean not on a large scale. Foreigners always can conduct a number of minor businesses and occupations which depend principally on local foreign patronage."

Home Government Aid a Fallacy.

From the standpoint of international trade in bulk it matters very little whether a cotton or a cigarette or a shoe factory in China is owned and operated by foreigners or Chinese. The broad economic and competitive effects will be about the same in either case. It is plain to me that when foreigners here (as many do) believe that the home Governments will use force to prevent them from losing certain positions and privileges, and to back up their investments in China, they are thinking in terms of economic fallacy.

For instance, big industrial interests in America are interested in China in two ways—as a place to sell their products, and as a place to buy cheaply raw materials.

Foreign ownership of sources of raw materials here may be a good thing for foreign home industry if foreign owners are not hampered by the Government of China and the Chinese people in exploiting the product. But if China recovers sovereignty and fiscal autonomy, how long is she likely to permit that kind of diversion and use of her natural resources?

It is probable that Americans are more interested in China as a selling than as a buying market. And effects of development here of modern industrialism on a big scale on the selling market for foreign commodities may be serious.

In some quarters a theory is entertained to the effect that it should be a definite policy of the great manufacturing nations to hold back modern industrialism in China and to retain control of China's fiscal affairs with that purpose and with a view to exploit this country as a selling market for foreign goods.

Effect on Outside Capital in China.

That theory of course conflicts positively with foreign capital which comes to China (and which goes to other countries) to start modern industries, because it is believed that articles thereby can be made and marketed more cheaply, and thus compete successfully with foreign-made goods here and in some cases compete with them in their countries of origin. There we have capital of a foreign nation coming to China to finance industries in competition with its home industries.

Let us assume that a firm in an American town makes cash registers, of which it sells many in China. A representative of that firm makes investigations and discovers that by building a factory in Shanghai it is possible to turn out identical cash registers at half the cost of producing them in America. Should the American firm build a factory here, send out its technical experts to manage it, and build machines here for the China and Asia trade? These machines may not be quite so perfect as those made in America, but they will be good enough to satisfy Asiatics at a slightly cheaper (but more profitable) price.

Essentially that process is a form of "dumping." Dumping is a term to describe the selling of American products abroad at reduced prices and thereby avoiding a break of prices at home.

Our protective system and high labor costs and general prosperity may keep up prices at home, but so far we have not been able to prevent dumping of American-made articles in foreign countries. For American manufacturers to build factories in foreign countries to supply demand abroad, making use of cheaper labor and raw materials, and reducing transportation costs, is getting to be common. Henry Ford has established an "assembling" plant in Japan, and I understand that one would have been created in Shanghai before now but for disturbances in this country.

The tendency in industry and international trade illustrated by the foregoing process is attracting much attention nowadays, and especially in connection with possibilities of modern industrialism in China. Some alarming pictures are painted of what may happen if the energies of this mass of people, with their low wage and living scale, are turned into world-wide economic competition.

I no longer feel alarm about that bogy. I have gone over to the opposite theory, that the more Chinese make for themselves and the more they become conscious of their economic status they will press their wage and living scale upward, and as that happens they will buy more things. Industry does not advance by continuing to make the same things, but by continually inventing and making new things, or by changing old things into new forms.

That evolution has held good in Japan, which provides the nearest parallel to the case of China that exists. They are making in Japan now nearly every modern article that is made in America and Europe. They make typewriting machines; but more American typewriters are sold in Japan than ever before. They are beginning to make motor cars and parts; but more American cars are sold in Japan than ever before. They make sewing machines; but there still is a growing market in Japan for American sewing machines.

Little by little some foreign articles which formerly had a large sale in Japan are disappearing; but in almost every case when that has happened it will be found that the same article is dropping out of the home and other markets too.

World's Changing Markets.

Industry and markets change. This law is the life of trade. Without change trade would stagnate.

Going back to our illustration, suppose that American makers of cash registers did not build a factory in China in competition with their factory in America and in order to compete here with cheaper similar products of other countries. What then? Would that prevent a Belgian, a German, a Japanese or a Chinese firm from building a factory here to make cash registers? Or anything else? Of course not.

Industry and commerce cannot be stopped from following the line of least resistance by trying to shut the door of opportunity. If we will not move, our competitors probably will. And if our foreign competitors did not move, the Chinese in due course will move themselves to create a modern industry of their own.

Today Japan is making vastly more articles of foreign invention and origin than was done there twenty years ago; yet Japan's imports of those or similar foreign products, and her total of foreign imports, have increased in almost the same proportion as her modern manufactures have developed.

Modern industrialism has come to China to stay. Its development, without doubt, will cause many changes in foreign trade and position here and in China's exports. I see no fundamental reason why this evolution should not be profitable both to foreign nations and to China.

RAYON PRODUCTION HAS GREATEST YEAR

Hoover Estimates the 1925 Output of the Young Industry to Be 50,000,000 Pounds.

SILK SALES STIMULATED

Other Nations Report Success With Glucose By-Product, Now Held as Major Industry Here.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Secretary Hoover today announced that the production in American plants of rayon, the manufacture of which is one of America's newest industries, will reach 50,000,000 pounds for the year just ending.

The rapid development in rayon production and demand is one of the romances of modern American industry. A by-product of glucose production, it is manufactured from cotton linters and wood pulp for use in the manufacture of textiles as a substitute for and in supplement with silk and cotton. It is the discovery of a Frenchman and the word "rayon" has not yet found its way into American dictionaries, though recently adopted by the French dictionary makers.

E. T. Pickard, chief of the textile division of the Department of Commerce, stated that the manufacture of rayon is no longer an "infant" industry, and that plants have now been established for its production in Maryland, Delaware, West Virginia and Tennessee. Its manufacture has increased in practically all important textile manufacturing countries. Starting in this country as a by-product industry, it has now become a major industry and shows no signs of overproduction.

Does Not Check Silk Sales.

"One remarkable feature of the growth of this industry," said Mr. Pickard, "is that while it is finding wide use as a substitute for and in association with the manufacture of silk products it has not affected the sale of silk. It has not replaced silk and cotton, but on the other hand seems to have stimulated their manufacture and sale. Indications are that 100,000 more bales will be used in the manufacture of silk in America this year than last year."

Among the American industrialists who have gone into the production of rayon on a large scale are the du Ponts of Delaware; and France, England and Germany are also rapidly increasing their production. France, the old home of the natural silk industry, officials of the Department of Commerce stated, has now a well-established rayon industry.

England has made it one of its important textile branches. Department of Commerce reports show that the first English manufacturers have increased their productive capacity and new factories are frequently being built. One of the largest English producers has started branches in Canada, India and elsewhere.

In Germany the drop in munition manufacturing after the war provided the stimulus for the establishment of the rayon industry to keep hands employed. The industry has so prospered that it is shown by Department of Commerce reports to be leading other textile branches.

Japanese Demand Increases.

In Italy, where it is favored by cheap and capable labor and a home production of the necessary chemicals, it has attained an important position. The Japanese annual demand, officials stated, is also increasing steadily and now amounts to 3,500,000 pounds. Japanese consumers at first did not seriously consider its use because the cultivation of the silkworm is a national industry on which the prosperity of Japan largely depends. Naturally, anything that might retard the production of silk was looked upon askance. Due to lower prices and increasing popularity of rayon, however, large quantities were imported and its manufacture in Japan on a large scale is assured.

The announcement by the Department of Commerce today shows that the output by American plants for the first half of the year was over 24,000,000 pounds. As the plants have been working at capacity all year, the annual production should approach 50,000,000 pounds. Ten years ago the manufacture of rayon did not even exist in the United States.

"This figure," Secretary Hoover's announcement of today stated, "shows a remarkable increase over the output of recent years. In 1920 the American plants produced 8,000,000 pounds, almost doubling the output in the following year to 15,000,000. The year 1922 showed a further increase to 24,000,000 and in 1925 this amount was produced from January to June.

"Figures show that the knit goods industry was the largest consumer of rayon, taking 25 per cent. of the entire American consumption in 1923. The hosiery manufacturers followed with 22 per cent., and considerable quantities were taken by the cotton mills, silk mills, and other branches of the textile industry. One important advantage to the consumers of rayon is the price stability. The producers announce their prices for the coming quarter, open their books for orders and allot their output."

REVELING, HELD AS FORGER.

Hoboken Pressman Is Accused of Penning $400 Worth of Checks.

Nicholas Hogh, 20 years old, a pressman living at 130 Park Avenue, Hoboken, N. J., was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of forgery while he was celebrating Christmas with his parents. The police withheld the name of the complainant who charged that Hogh had forged his name to checks amounting to $400.

Detectives from Hoboken headquarters said Hogh told them that he had lost the money in a New York City gambling house where he said he met the person whose name he had forged.

The police learned further that Hogh's father had mortgaged his home last September to raise $1,000 so his son could start a store. The police said Hogh declared he had no store but had lost his father's money gambling also. He will be arraigned today in Hoboken Police Court.

TRAFFIC VIGILANTES ELECT.

Three New Vice Presidents Added to Street Safety League.

Three new Vice Presidents have been elected to the directorate of the Traffic Vigilance League, 10 West Twenty-third Street, which was organized a year ago by Jacob W. Block of 185 Fifth Avenue. Park Commissioner E. T. O'Loughlin is its President.

The new Vice Presidents are Rabbi Abraham Burstein of the Inwood Hebrew Congregation; Dr. I. N. Finkel, 536 West 145th Street, and Assemblyman A. Spencer Feld, 336 Fort Washington Avenue. H. Stuart Morrison of 1,957 Fifty-fourth Street, Brooklyn, has been named Executive Secretary.

In an endeavor to reduce the annual death toll of motor vehicles in the city the Traffic Vigilance League was organized as a medium through which motorists and pedestrians can be educated to use caution.

DESTROYERS SENT TO TROUBLED CHINA

Continued from Page 1, Column 4.

ing battles in the heart of the city and looting by the retreating soldiers of the defeated army of General Li Ching-ling, Governor of Chihli Province, who was then deposed.

On Tuesday morning the Kuominchun carried out a general offensive against the Chihli centre, pressing the latter back four miles. The retirement was orderly, the Chihlites exacting a heavy toll from their enemy and saving all their artillery, which covered the retreat of the infantry.

On Wednesday, however, Li's cavalry deserted, bolting across the country. This was the signal for a general abandonment of the front and the flight of all arms toward Tientsin. Soon the railway and roads became choked with the impedimenta of war. Artillery was mixed up with transport lorries and native carts with hordes of infantrymen in indescribable confusion.

The troops commenced quarreling among themselves and, as the ugliest temper prevailed, cordons were drawn around the city.

Finally the Kuominchun occupied the Tientsin central station after heavy firing, which cleared the station and forced the foreign guards who had been posted there to seek shelter in the offices.

The Chihlites ran out of the city, firing indiscriminately, stripping coolies and other civilians of clothing and looting clothing shops to secure substitutes for their uniforms, which they discarded as they fled.

Li, with his staff, fled in a motor car to the Japanese Concession, which was forthwith barricaded. Some of the Chihlites, maintaining a semblance of order, marched through the centre of the city in the direction of the Tsinpu Railway.

Another division skirted the east station and marched across the golf course, discarding their uniforms en route and seizing civilian clothing, but otherwise giving no trouble, although the foreigners residing in the former Russian Concession, which was not protected, were greatly alarmed.

A read guard of the Chihlites, posted at the Yamen Bridge to hold the Kuominchun vanguard, offered some resistance, so that considerable fighting occurred there and in the streets of the city. By nightfall, however, the Kuominchun was in complete command of the city, which is now perfectly quiet.

Telegraph communication has been reestablished, and steamers, which have been held at the mouth of the river, are arriving. Three Japanese steamers, escorted by Japanese destroyers from Port Arthur, arriving this evening.

GEN. KUO AND HIS WIFE TORTURED AND KILLED

Rebel's Legs and Wife's Arms Were Cut Off, Then Their Heads to Adorn a Grave.

TOKIO, Saturday, Dec. 26 (AP).—A special dispatch to Asahi from Mukden says that General Kuo Sung-ling, who fled after his army was defeated on Thursday by that of Marshal Chang Tso-lin, and his wife were captured while hiding in a cellar and that the captors cut off Kuo's legs and his wife's arms and then shot and killed them both.

Afterward, Kuo and his wife were decapitated.

Marshal Chang ordered that their heads be placed on the grave of one of his favorite Generals who had been executed by Kuo.

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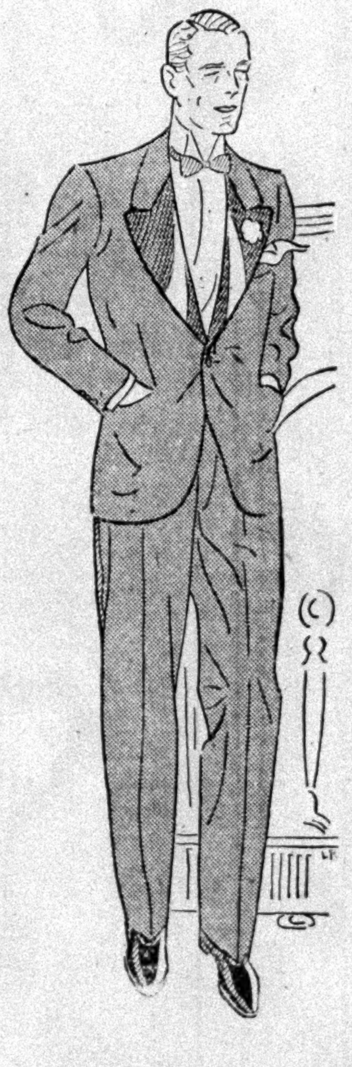

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SOCIETY REWARDS SEVEN SCIENTISTS

American Geographical Medals Go to Men Long Noted for Their Exploits.

CAPT. BARTLETT HONORED

Mexican Geographer and Other Foreigners Also Selected for the Awards.

Announcement of the names of seven scientists to receive medals from the American Geographical Society was made yesterday by Isaiah Bowman, director of the society.

The three gold Cullum medals were given to Harvey C. Hayes of the Navy Research Department at Philadelphia; Pedro C. Sanchez, distinguished Mexican geographer, and Lucien Gallois of the University of Paris.

Hayes was rewarded for supplying science with a new instrument for measuring the ocean floor. Sanchez received a medal for conducting a series of geodetic measurements and topographical surveys in Mexico, thereby laying the foundation for the scientific study of the geography of that country. Gallois received his award "for notable contributions to the history of geography" and his interpretation of the spirit of science. He is Professor of Geography at the University of Paris.

The David Livingstone centenary medal "for scientific achievement in the field of geography in the Southern Hemisphere" was given to Luis Riso Patron, Director of the Oficina de Limites of Chile, in recognition of his contributions to Chilean cartography, and to Erich von Drygalski of the University of Munich for his work in the south polar regions.

Señor Patron headed the first Chilean commission to make a precise survey of the Cordilleras of the Andes. Dr. von Drygalski carried out notable glaciological investigations in the Arctic as the leader of the Greenland expedition of the Berlin Geographical Society in 1891-1893 and of the German Antarctic expedition in 1900-1903, on which he has since published extensive scientific data.

The Charles P. Daly medal has been awarded to Captain Robert A. Bartlett for his services to Arctic exploration as commander of the Roosevelt, 1905-1909, in Peary's expedition to the Pole, and the Canadian Arctic expedition of 1913-1918, and to Brigadier General David L. Brainard in recognition of his notable achievements on the Lady Franklin Bay expedition under Greely in 1881-1884, in which he took a leading part.

Captain Bartlett now lives in the San Remo Hotel here and General Brainard lives at the Army and Navy Club in Washington.

CUT AT A HOLIDAY PARTY.

Dispute Over Broken Phonograph Starts Trouble in Providence.

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 25 (AP).—An argument over a broken phonograph record resulted in one man being sent to the hospital suffering from several knife wounds requiring twenty stitches to close, and started the police on the trail of a companion in a party which was attending a Christmas celebration here early this morning.

James R. Davis is at the Rhode Island Hospital in a serious condition. The other man, Eugene Taylor, escaped, and so far has not been traced.

WELCOMES US TO PARLEY.

Japanese Foreign Minister Hails Participation in Arms Conference.

TOKIO, Dec. 25 (AP).—Baron Shidehara, the Foreign Minister, commenting on the report that America would participate in the preliminary conference at Geneva to discuss the holding of a disarmament conference, expressed great gratification on behalf of the Japanese Government.

TWO TRUSTIES ESCAPE FROM ATLANTA PRISON

They "Simply Walk Out" During a Christmas Respite—Worked at Honor Farm.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 25 (AP).—While fellow prisoners feasted and indulged in a holiday respite from labor today Raymon Elis Worden of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Daniel K. Wallace of Columbia, S. C., trusties, escaped from the Federal penitentiary.

Allowed the freedom of the reservation because of good conduct, Worden and Wallace "simply walked away," prison officials announced, and discovery of their escape was not made until late today.

Worden, a cook at the honor farm, was sentenced for a year and a day at Toledo, Ohio, June 2, for violation of the prohibition law. Wallace, pantryman at the farm, was serving three years for violation of the Mann act. His term would have expired Jan. 14, 1927, and he was eligible for a parole.

READY TO FIGHT LENROOT.

Gov. Blaine Is Urged by Friends to Run for Senator's Post.

Special to The New York Times.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 25.—Announcement that Senator I. L. Lenroot will come to Milwaukee on Monday for a series of addresses has stirred much talk, and Governor Blaine's friends are urging the early announcement of his candidacy as Lenroot's opponent for the Senatorial post next Fall.

Senator Lenroot is coming to Milwaukee to discuss the World Court. Governor Blaine will oppose the World Court plan as a "back door entrance of the League of Nations."

Governor Blaine declines to say when he will announce his candidacy for the senatorship, although all his plans are being shaped in that direction. He said today that he did not intend to discuss any national problems for the present, but had made some engagements where he expected to discuss tax problems.

His tax reduction law will have a real test in January. His opponents insist that there has been no real tax reduction, and that the omission of the State tax has been made possible by increasing the income tax and putting a tax on gasoline, so that people pay taxes in an indirect way.

The Governor is said to be preparing an address in which he will attempt to show that owners of real estate will pay nothing to the support of the State Government this year, all its expenses having been met by income taxes. The increase of income taxes has been sufficient to meet the needs of the university and normal schools without direct levy, he declares.

ASSAILANT'S BAIL $40,000.

Providence Man Goes to Jail in Shooting Affray.

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 25 (AP).—Bail of $40,000 was asked by Judge Gorham today in the case of Pasquale Fedale, arraigned on two charges in connection with a shooting affray on Christmas Eve.

After Fedale admitted that he shot one of two men now in the hospital but denied shooting the other, Judge Gorham entered a plea of not guilty for the man. Frank Stella, one of the wounded men, was on the dangerous list with three bullet wounds. The bail was not furnished.

$450,000 Flood Damage at Seville.

SEVILLE, Spain, Dec. 25 (AP).—Floods of the Guadalquivir and adjacent rivers have caused damage estimated at more than 3,000,000 pesetas ($450,000) confined for the most part to destruction of merchandise piled along the piers. Though the river receded yesterday it rose today when the torrential rains began again.

Elmira Man Is Burned to Death.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP).—David Hanrahan, aged 27, was burned to death today when fire of undetermined origin destroyed the family home. His brother, John Jr., was painfully burned about the hands and face rescuing their aged mother. Mrs. Hanrahan is not expected to live.

Saks-Herald Square
Broadway at 34th Street

Smart
Street Oxfords
for Men

Specially Priced Today at

6.45

Made to retail at 10.00 a pair!

Shown in Martin's Scotch grain or Russia calfskin (black or tan) and Norwegian tan calf. Sizes 5 to 12; widths AA to E.

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Clearances of Winter Apparel

Women's Street Coats
$95
Soft kashmir fabrics. Straight line coats and flaring silhouettes. Large collars and cuffs of fur. All greatly reduced in price. Other street coats also reduced. Now marked $75 to $195

Sports coats of imported fabrics, reduced to $49.50, $59.50 and $75

WOMEN'S COAT DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Misses' Daytime Frocks
$15
Frocks for every daytime hour. Good styles; attractive colors. Silks, velveteens and wools. One and two piece styles.

An excellent opportunity to buy frocks for school and college at decided reductions. Also charming styles appropriate for the smaller matron.

MISSES' DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Women's Evening Gowns
$75 $95
Velvet, crepe Romaine, metal cloth and beaded crepe, greatly reduced in price. Rose, green, flesh, red, black. Other evening gowns now reduced to $95

Daytime gowns of flat crepe and wool, in navy, green or tan, now reduced to $39.50 and $55

THE LITTLE SALON—THIRD FLOOR

Misses' Furred Coats
$75
Soft-finished fabrics of good quality. Trimmed with carefully chosen furs. Straight and wrappy coats as well as youthful flares. The favorite colors of the season. All marked at newly reduced prices. Other coats $95 to $150

MISSES' DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Women's Frocks
$25
For street, afternoon and evening wear—a large group of frocks at greatly reduced prices. Crepe de Chine, Georgette crepe and jersey.

In the group are frocks of almost every color, and in many styles.

MODERATE PRICE DRESS SHOP—THIRD FLOOR

Women's Evening Coats
$75
Beautiful coats and wraps of metal cloth and chiffon velvet in bright shades, trimmed with generous collars of carefully selected furs.

Other evening coats also reduced in price—now marked $95 to $225

WOMEN'S COAT DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Women's Suits
$39.50
Two-piece suits of twill, covert and imported wool mixtures.

Women's Ensemble Suits $59.50
Coats of kashona, casha, velveteen or carmina, with frocks of flat crepe, mirroleen or crepe satin. Sable dyed and natural squirrel, skunk or wolf collars.

THIRD FLOOR

Pure Worsted Sweaters
$5.95 and $9.75
Turtle necks, crew neck and slipovers—a variety of models in the best colors of the season. Fancy weaves, jacquard patterns, plain colors embroidered in contrasting shades. All marked at decidedly reduced prices. Smart styles and colors for immediate wear. For motoring and all winter sports in the country and at college.

KNIT DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Smart Overblouses
$7.50 $16.50
Blouses for daytime and street wear and blouses for more formal afternoon wear. Metal cloth blouses with short sleeves. Velveteen blouses with silver trim and long sleeves. Tailored velveteen blouses.

One to three of a kind. Reductions that will mean substantial savings.

BLOUSE DEPARTMENT—THIRD FLOOR

Millinery—Reduced for Clearance

Velvet and Felt Hats
$10.50
Smart models for town and country in velvet and felt as well as other fabrics. Many colors, bright shades, brown and black.

The hat you want for immediate wear in town or to travel South.

FRENCH SALON—FOURTH FLOOR

Tailored and Sports Hats
$5 and $7.50
Gay colored felts and velours and velvets in shades to harmonize with the smart new frocks. Many styles and colors. All marked at these two special prices.

Small hats to wear with your fur coat in the three months of winter still ahead.

FOURTH FLOOR

Untrimmed Hats
$3.50
Velvet and hatter's plush. Many copies of Paris models. All the accepted styles of the season. Mostly dark colors, but bright shades as well.

That extra hat you want at this season, for sports or dress wear.

FOURTH FLOOR

GIFTS STILL POUR IN FOR NEEDIEST CASES

Last Year's Record Total Has Been Exceeded by More Than $10,000.

FUND IS NOW $243,855.94

It Has Grown Steadily Each Year From the Initial Total of $3,630.88 in 1912.

ONE DONOR SENDS $1,000

Disbanding Trade Association Contributes $431 Remaining in Its Treasury.

Contributions of $9,467.10 increased the total for the Neediest Cases yesterday to $243,855.94, putting the fund more than $10,000 over the top. Last year's grand total was $233,524.84.

The growth of the fund from the beginning until today is shown by the following table:

1912	$ 3,630.88
1913	9,616.56
1914	15,032.46
1915	31,819.92
1916	55,792.45
1917	62,103.47
1918	81,097.57
1919	106,967.14
1920	111,126.00
1921	125,011.19
1922	157,421.08
1923	177,683.67
1924	233,524.89
1925	243,855.94

Five hundred and sixty-nine contributions were received yesterday, making a total of 10,886. Many of these have come from schools, lodges, clubs and other organizations, so that the individual contributors would number many hundred more than 10,886.

A Gift of $1,000.

Yesterday's largest contribution was one of $1,000 from Cora Coggswell.

One of the earliest gifts to the Neediest Cases was the first check received by a newly established business. Yesterday the fund received the money left in the treasury of a disbanding organization. This was a check for $431.76 from the Perfumery Soap and Allied Industries of New York, accompanied by the following letter:

Dec. 23, 1925.

Hundred Neediest Cases Fund:

Enclosed is check from the Perfumery Soap and Allied Industries of New York for $431.76, which the association has decided to turn over to charity. The association is dissolving and the officers thought that your fund was the most satisfactory way to serve the purpose for which they intended to give. Use it as you best see fit.

Very truly yours,
Perfumery Soap and Allied Industries of New York.
CHARLES FISHBECK,
Treasurer.

Other large contributions yesterday were: Mrs. John P. Young, $200; Anonymous, $250; Albert C. Field, Inc., $200; Mrs. S. Krech, $150.

Contributors of $100 were F. Pearl Browning, Merton W. Sage, Arthur Zabriskie and I. Warschauer.

Many Memorial Gifts.

Fifty-nine of yesterday's contributions were in memory of dear ones.

Among other contributors yesterday were the Auditing Department of THE NEW YORK TIMES, $51.50; NEW YORK TIMES Club, $50; Employes of Lax & Burgheimer Co., $80; Pupils of Clarke School, Northampton, Mass., $10; "Proceeds of a Raffle," $9.50; class of boys of Madison Avenue Methodist Church School, $3.50; pupils of the Mountain Lake Public School, New Jersey, $10; Washington Heights Chapter of American War Mothers, $10.

Chief Scout Executive James E. West wrote as follows:

Boy Scouts of America.
Headquarters National Council.
Dec. 24, 1925.

Hundred Neediest Cases:

It is with great pleasure that, on behalf of the employes of the National Council, I transmit to you $75.65 raised today in connection with their annual Christmas party, to apply toward Case No. 72.

All here who have participated in this gift join in congratulating THE TIMES in this organized effort for the good of others.

Sincerely and cordially yours,
JAMES E. WEST,
Chief Scout Executive.

A contribution of $21.10 was accompanied by the following letter:

New York City, Dec. 24.

Find enclosed a check for $21.10. Please put $6 down for "The Woodmere Crowd" and please give it to Case 291 "A Salesman at Nine." The rest please put under "Junior High of Alcuin School" and please divide equally between Cases 251 and 209.

The $6 we made this Summer by having a small fair, the rest we collected from the girls of Alcuin. We all feel that this fund is so wonderful and worthy of every one's consideration that we wanted to help it along. We wish it could be much more, but every little bit helps.

Yours truly,
HELEN SALANT, Treasurer.

Justice Lauer Contributes.

In sending his contribution, Justice Edgar J. Lauer wrote:

Municipal Court of the City of New York.
Dec. 23, 1925.

Hundred Neediest Cases Fund:

It gives me pleasure to send you herewith my annual contribution toward this fund.

Not only are you furthering a very worthy object in coming to the aid of the needy and distressed among our less fortunate fellows, but you are performing a real service in educating the public in giving for charitable purposes. This publicity cannot but be a gain to all worthy charities.

Yours very truly,
EDGAR J. LAUER.

The following letter was received from Dr. Thomas J. Riley, General Secretary of the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities:

Brooklyn Bureau of Charities.
To THE NEW YORK TIMES:

Dear Sir—The direct aid which is provided for the neediest families in New York City cannot be measured. It is easy to say how much money was raised and how many families were helped, but no one can measure the real good that is accomplished. This help appeases hunger, relieves cold, provides clothing, helps the sick, brings happiness, gives contentment to the aged. It keeps little children with their mothers, and mothers at home with their little children. These things cannot be weighed and measured, but without them life would be miserable indeed for these hundreds of families.

The campaign for the Hundred Neediest Cases, like poverty itself, is no respector of race or religion. Its distributors are Protestant, Catholic and Jewish societies alike. It makes it appeal to whoever may read it, wherever they may live, and reaches out its hands without regard to borough boundaries. The Hundred Neediest Cases has brought folks of all faiths together in a practical religion and extended the season of good will among men to include the whole year round.

By means of its appeal for the Hundred Neediest cases, THE NEW YORK TIMES has been of great assistance to the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities. It has greatly increased the number of our subscribers and made friends for our work who live in other boroughs and other States. The favorable publicity given to the Bureau of Charities has been of immeasurable value to us in all our endeavors.

We are thankful to THE TIMES and to all our contributors for the generous funds entrusted to us, which we shall be happy to use for our neediest families presented, and when they are no longer in need for others equally deserving. Accept our congratulations on the purpose and success of the Hundred Neediest Cases. Yours sincerely,

THOS. J. RILEY,
General Secretary.

From Texas and California.

Contributions came from Spur, Tex., Palo Alto, Cal., and Frankfort, Ky. The following are from letters of contributors:

Myrtle L. Picker, New Rochelle—Am enclosing $15 for the fund. I know this bit will help some poor little girl or boy. All the cases are so heartrending that it is difficult to decide on a particular case.

U. R. Laves, Spur, Tex.—Enclosed please find my check for $10 to be used in worthy fund for New York's Hundred Neediest Cases. I wish success to this great work and hope that the time will come when you will have a fund for New York's 500 Neediest Cases.

Caroline Lee, Princeton—Enclosed please find my check for $40 for Madeline of Case 227. I had already sent my annual contribution, but I feel such sympathy for this poor child for the strain she has undergone and the anxiety she is now suffering that I would like to have a share in helping her to ward off the onslaughts of that dread disease, tuberculosis.

A Friend—It is a privilege to be able to enclose $20 for this splendid fund which please apply on whatever case you think best. This is a wonderful work and I hope to send more next year.

Tommy Byers and Malcolm Graham, Frankfort, Ky.—We are cousins, 2 and 4 years old, having a grand time here in Frankfort, Ky. Our grandma in New York wrote us about the poor, sad little boys and girls, so please give our $5 to Dan, Case 201.

Mildred and Harold Masback—Instead of sending Christmas gifts to our dear parents, we are enclosing a small check to be applied to some case where the misery has been caused by tuberculosis. May it help in some small measure to alleviate the anguish that dreadful disease imposes.

Wants to Help Dan.

Anonymous—Sixty years ago I was the same age and in the same fix Dan is today. Poor little chap. I know what he is up against and I only wish I was able to help him in a substantial way. The small amount I enclose I hope may help him just a little.

Veteran of the A. E. F.—Enclosed herewith is a check for $6. I would like to have it go to Case 238. Wish I could make it a hundred times more.

E. M. T., Palo Alto, Cal.—Please acknowledge the enclosed check in the name of Effie and Earle, in memory of two children who were an inspiration and joy to all who knew them. I should like this to be used for some children if possible.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Halliday—Kindly accept the small donation of $5, to be used for any of those receiving help through your efforts. May this splendid work ever continue to grow.

M. K. Newberry—This is a wonderful work, and I am responding to the appeal for small contributions. I only wish the enclosed were larger.

Madeleine Hart—I earned the money myself for which I am sending this check. I hope it will help to make little Charles happy for Christmas.

Beatrice R. Gross—I am enclosing a check for $5 as my contribution to the fund "In Memory of My Darling Mother, Lillie L. Rittenberg," who always deemed it a privilege to send you her bit at this time to swell this worthy fund.

Barbara Hunter, aged 7—I am so sorry for little Dan. It must be so dreadful not to have a mother and father. Please give him this $5 which I saved in my dime bank.

Mrs. Henry C. Cadmus, New Rochelle—Enclosed find $10 in memory of my mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Henry Beach. This cause, so incomparable, has turned night into day for so many people.

Grace R. and H. L. Bullen—Enclosed is our check for $25. Accept our thanks for giving us the year's opportunity and honor of becoming in a small way partners in this unexcelled charity.

L. M. D.—Enclosed please find my slight contribution. Dire need close at home has made it impossible to help outside as much as I could wish. Please let the money be used for Case 223 or, in the event that these people are cared for, let it be used toward Case 274, hoping that a little of the joy which should be the possession of all will be brought by this money.

From letters of contributors previously received the following extracts are taken:

Mrs. Hazel W. Lincoln—Enclosed please find check for $2 to be used in this wonderful work. Please accept it in memory of Donald, and if the little lad by that name, whose mother was making such a brave struggle to support the family, is still wanting, I should be glad to have it used there. If he has already been provided for, then let it go to the one who has received the least. This is only a tiny sum, but it carries our most sincere good wishes to all the unfortunate ones.

Anonymous—A traveler from out of town takes a real pleasure in enclosing check for $25 as a contribution to the fine work you are doing to make a cheerful Christmas for the Neediest.

Jack Soule, aged 6, Essex Falls—Enclosed please find a check for $2 from one boy of 6 years to another boy of 6 years (Lester, Case 7) who needs help at this time, with the wish that his Christmas may be a happy one.

Frederic Carpenter—Mary and John and I are sending $4 for Case 7. We hope that Lester will find a good home and go to a nice school and will like it.

Herbert and Berenice Hess—In memory of our departed parents the enclosed is sent, in appreciation of your interest in this most worthy cause.

Jim and Bob—Enclosed is a check for $5 which we would like very much to give toward Case 242, and we hope Charles, William, Harold and their mother will soon know what a permanent home is. A Merry Christmas from Jim and Bab.

May Riley Smith—For poor little Dan, please, whose "father forgets" and who always speaks the truth, and who lacks any one to care for him. Such a big world, so many people, and at Christmas time this little boy has no one to care for him, and his own father forgets. Thank you for bringing him to our attention, and may some kind home open its door to him and give him what he lacks. That is a better gift than our poor little checks, and the appeal has done this for many a little homeless Dan.

Christina B. Harris—Enclosed find money order for $5 to this most worthy cause, which I hope will again go over the top, to help those who at this time are unable to help themselves, through no fault of their own.

Cheer for Many Homes.

Mrs. Grace B. Jones—Enclosed please find my check for just a mite (I wish it might be more) which kindly apply to Case 227. My own dear mother has similar eye trouble and my sympathy goes out to those so afflicted.

Anonymous—For Case 209, the widow with several children who is losing her sight, but who is so bravely making a struggle to keep her children with her. I only wish my offering could be more, for if ever anything made my heart ache, it is to read the Hundred Neediest Cases.

William A. Salant—I am sending $2 for this worthy fund and hope it will help some poor family that needs the money. I have watched the progress of this fund almost since the beginning this year and was happy to watch it grow.

Employes of the C-R-C Law List Company—We are enclosing our check for $30, which represents the contributions from the employes of our company. We are all interested in the good work that the fund is doing, and with our check we are sending the wish that the money will bring some happiness to those in need.

Slice Gosborne—Please add this check to the fund for the Neediest Cases in memory of Him who said "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

E. C. S.—For the Hundred Neediest Cases the enclosed check is sent from Elsbeth Ann and Janet Brainin (aged 7 and 2) so that some other children may be made happy on Christmas.

Julia E. Reeder—I am sending herewith a small check to be used for any case you choose. It is a privilege to have even a small part in this splendid Christmas work.

E. B. F.—Believing I am acting in the spirit of the dear departed, I am enclosing $15 in fond memory of my late husband, Henry Randolph Ford, who departed this life Dec. 12, 1925.

Queens School Teacher—I am enclosing another check, as I find I can spare more. I do not care to designate any particular case, but prefer it to go to some mother with a small child.

The Rev. A. E. Phillips and Mrs. Phillips, Paterson, N. J.—The enclosed check for $5 is our annual gift to the Hundred Neediest Cases and is given "In memory of A. E. T." with the hope that this fund will have sufficient to care for many more.

E. D.—Please use the enclosed, which I wish were larger, for either a tuberculosis case or a victim of law-breaking. I am a T. B. graduate myself for one thing, and my sympathies are more for the victim than the criminal, in the second.

Would Like to Give More.

An Old Friend—Though my own finances are decidedly below par this year, I cannot deprive myself of the pleasure of making my annual contribution to this splendid work. My only regret is the smallness of the check. With many thanks to you for this opportunity to be of service and with all good wishes for the success of your endeavor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hubert Johnson—At this time of the year we feel that we cannot worship Christ and the beautiful conception of the Almighty unless we provide a portion from the blessings He has bestowed on us to help bring happiness to others of His fold, who are so much in need of assistance. We are enclosing, therefore, a cashier's check for $20 which we wish you would use in whatever manner you consider prudent in the relief of cases you have selected.

Louise W. Smith—I enclose a small check in memory of L. A. S. to be used for the health of some dear little boy of 3.

Isabel Mackenzie—The enclosed check for $5 is small, but I hope will help just a little the very good work you are doing. I should prefer to have it used for some old person. This is sent "In Memory of M. L. K.," with the hope that the money needed to carry on this worthy enterprise effectively will be fully realized.

Robert Tyler—Enclosed find check for $75 for the Neediest Cases Fund from Mrs. Helen E. Tyler, who wishes it to go to a musician, in memory of her father, who was of that profession.

Mrs. Ray Lovejoy—If little 9-year-old Dan, whose father forgot him, has not been provided for, I would like the enclosed small check to go toward the fund for him.

Harry A. Kleinert—This contribution is sent in memory of my sister. I hope it will help some one to get a start in the world.

Everett Sloane—Enclosed find my small contribution to the finest charity in the world. I am sure I wish that it were much larger, but I know that in giving what little I am able I am helping out and I am really happy.

Contributions Received on Christmas Day Total 569, Sending Fund for Neediest Cases $10,331 Over Last Year

Received Yesterday	$ 9,467.10
Previously Acknowledged	234,388.84
Total Receipts to Date	$243,855.94

Contributions received direct by The New York Times:

A. C. L.	$5
A. E. and O. S.	10
A. E. R.	5
A. F.	25
A. G.	1
A. H. S.	15
A. M. H.	5
A. P. S.	10
A. S.	2
A Friend	25
A Friend	2
A Friend	5
A Friend	1
A Friend	2
A Friend	4
A Friend	20
A Friend	2
A Friend	5
A Friend	5
A Mother	5
A Sympathizer	5
A veteran of the A. E. F.	6
A Widow	1
Anonymous	10
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An, S. O. M.	10
Asiel & Co.	20
Auditing Dept., New York Times	51.50
B. B.	10
B. D.	8
B. H.	3
Babcock, Richard F.	25
Back, Jesse Albert	25
Bages, Richard	5
Bampton, M.	2
Bancker, J. W.	5
Barbarossa, Esperanzia	5
Barnes, Mrs. Wm. H.	5
Bartholomew, C. L.	5
Barton, Mrs. Frances E.	2
Bassett, Leslie	20
Batchelor, E. E.	25
Bedell, Mr. & Mrs. C. R.	2.50
Bell, Edward	10
Bemis, Jane & John in memory of their "Uncle Jack"	25
Benedict, William	10
Bengess	10
Benson, B. R.	5
Benson, T. C.	10
Benson, Mrs. C. C.	5
Betty	10
Bilheimer, Robert	1
Billy, Gerry & Bobby	10
Brearley, Billy	$2
Birdsall, Mrs. M. D.	2
Block, Richard	10
Blum, Mrs. Joseph A.	25
Bobrow, Lucille	25
Bowles, Howard F.	5
Boyd, R.	5
Brady, W. B.	10
Briggs, Elizabeth	10
Brown, Emma M.	50
Browning, F. Pearl	100
Budd, Lloyd E.	5
Buhler, J. G.	2
Bullen, Grace R. and H. L.	25
Burd, H. S.	10
Burger, J. L.	25
Burns, D. E.	2
Byers, Tommy and Fraham, M.	5
C. E. R.	15
C. G.	10
C. H.	3
C. N.	2
Cammeyer, Miss H. A.	2
Cassidy, R. R.	10
Causey, N. J.	25
Chandler, Mrs. F. W.	10
Chapman, F.	1
Childs, E. P.	25
Christensen, Mrs. A. G.	10
Christy, Annie T.	9
Churchill, L. T.	25
Clarke, Flossie I. and Grace E.	5
Clarke, H., Jr.	5
Clary, E. T.	50
Class 5A 4, P. S. 50, N. Y.	1.05
Clephane, Miss S.	50
Coburn, Billy	5
Cogswell, Cora	1,000
Cohen, Philip F.	7.05
Cohn, P. T.	5
Connelly, Mrs. G.	10
Cook, L. M.	20
Cooley, W. F.	10
Coolidge, O. H.	10
Coon, Mary I.	3
Cooper, Mary S.	5
Cox, Miss Ella	5
Crane, E. G.	5
Cromwell, Jarvis	10
Crooke, M.	15
Crosthwaite, Mrs. E. M.	10
Crum, Mrs. Frederick H.	10
D. R. W.	10
Daggett, Mrs. V. Chapin	10
Davis, Gabriella and Phoebe Lee	10
Davis, Lee I.	20
Dean, Charlotte	5
Decature, Mrs.	
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Mrs. A. R.	5
Eldridge, Elizabeth	25
Elton, Caroline D.	5
Employes of Lax & Burgheimer Co.	80
Employer of Nat'l Council, Boy Scouts of America	75
Eppstein & Bro., H. B.	25
F. C. F.	30
F. L. Y.	25
F. M. W.	15
F. T. P.	25
Falkman, Emily T.	10
Fawcett Bank Features	50
Fibel, Mrs. J. L.	5
Firgil, Miss Theodora S.	1
Five-Year-Old Boy Who Wants to Help	5
Fleet, Mrs. A. J.	5
Fletcher, Tom S.	1
Follman, M. A.	5
Fraser, Frederick	3
French, Stuyvesant	15
Friend	5
From M.W.P., in memory of F.M. W.	10
From a Friend	5
From a Class of Boys in Church School of Madison Av. Methodist Church, New York City	3.50
From two little girls, Mary and Maude	$3
From another old lady	1
From employes of Penn Oil Co., Inc.	10
From W. S.	1
From pupils of Clarke School, Northampton, Mass.	10
From my wife and myself	10
From a Virginian	5
From three small boys of Hastings-on-Hudson	10
Fuller, F. L.	50
Furman, Bertha M.	5
G. B., Staten Island	5
G. L. B.	5
G. W. E.	5
G. W. M.	5
Gallagher, Inc., Louise Barnes	10
Ganz, Philip and some friends	15
Gardner, Almira H	5
Gardner, G. A.	5
Gaskell, Eleanor L.	5
Gaynor, J. F.	10
Gerrick, I. E.	25
Gertrude & Jimmy	2
Geyer, Mrs. Berta	5
Goldberg, S. M.	5
Goldsmith, E. H.	5
Grady, George R.	10
Green, Mrs. Henry	25
Grossberg, H. M.	1
Guest, Isabel	5
Gwynn, Charles T.	10
H. E.	100
H. M. W.	10
H. S.	2.50
Halliday, Mr. and Mrs. W. G.	5
Halo, Julius H.	10
Hamilton, Ruth E.	5
Harman, Viola B.	5
Harris, A.	100
Hart, Mr. and Mrs. John J.	5
Hart, Madeline	5
Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. R. S.	10
Hayner, E. G.	3
A Friend	2
Healy, Jennie L.	10
Hecht, J.	1
Anonymous	3
Levy, N., Jr.	1
Jacobs, I.	1
Gill, A. E.	1
Henry & Howland	20
Herrman, Mrs. A.	5
Herzfeld, Emil G.	25
Hickle, Kate T.	1
Higgins, F. I.	25
Hinrichs, Mr. and Mrs.	25
Honiss, L. U.	
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In Memory of—H. M.	15
In Memory of—My Mother, Mollie Levy	10
In Memory of—Our Father & Mother, Crozet, Va.	3
In Memory of—W. T. Allan, Glasgow, Scotland	2
In Memory of—My Dear Mother, L. C.	25
In Memory	10
In Memory of—Our Beloved and Darling Grandchild, Grace C. Auerbach	5
In Memory of—My Dear Parents, S. and H. H.	10
In Memory of—My Beloved Wife	10
In Memory of—My Mother & Father	5
In Memory of—Olaf	5
In Memory of—My Mother	5
In Memory of—Estelle	3
In Memory of—Our Daddy	25
In Memory of—Corporal Walter J. Dixon	10
In Memory of—H. S. Potter 2d	100
In Memory of—A Precious Daughter	$2
In Memory of—My Beloved Husband, Isaac H. Meyer	10
In Memory of—Two Cheerful Givers	5
In Memory of—A Dear Father	10
In Memory of—Our Boys who went and never came back	2
In Memory of—My Dear Mother and Father	3
In Memory of—Frank and Rosina McCoy	20
In Memory of—My Mother	5
In Memory of—Loved Ones	5
In Memory of—O. C. H.	25
In Memory of—R. W.	15
In Memory of—My Father and Mother, Mr. Mrs. Frederick Henry Beach	10
In Memory of—Mother Russell	5
In Memory of—A Dear One	5
In Memory of—M. H. P.	5
In Memory of—M. M. H.	5
In Memory of—My Darling Mother, Lillie L. Rittenberg	5
In Memory of—T. B. F.	10
In Memory of—Moe Bertuch	25
In Memory of—Father & Mother Haskins	15
In Memory of—My Father	2
In Memory of—Adler, Milton James and Milton J.	10
In Memory of—E. W. L.	25
In Memory of—Lillian	10
In Memory of—C. J. Herrick	50
In Memory of—E. M. C.	5
In Memory of—J. P. O. M. R.	10
In Memory of—My Mother, R. W. G.	5
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My Mother	25
In the Name of—My Little Son, Everitt Merril Delebane Jr.	2.50
In the Name of—My Baby Daughter, Elizabeth Adler	10
In the Name of—Our Lord Jesus Christ	100
In the Name of—Effie and Earle	15
J. A. H.	10
J. C. L.	2
J. H. H.	1
J. L.	15
Janet, Virginia and Betty	5
Jim, aged 5 years	3
Johnson, E. A.	20
Joseph Moreny Iron Works	10
Jouge, H. H.	5
Junior High School of Alcium School	15.10
K. V. A.	1
Katz, Mrs. Adam	15
Kaufman, Robert E.	10
Keeler, F. H.	5
Kellogg, Claire	5
Kemp, John S.	75
King, J. H.	10
Kirchwey, George W.	5
Klein, Jacob	10
Koedding Jr., J. B.	3
Kratovills, J. Barnes	$5
Krech, Mrs. S.	150
Kulomi, S.	50
L. B. H.	1
L. M. B.	1
L. O. C.	5
Larsen, Olga C.	3
Lauer, Edgar J.	10
Laves, U. R.	10
Lawler, Stanley P.	10
Leiner, J.	10
Leith, Mrs. Wm.	25
Lee, Caroline	40
Lee, Thos. H., Jr.	1
Lee, Urvin B.	10
Levinson, Moses	10
Levy, A. Bary	3
Levy, Lotty	10
Lewis, Florence L.	10
Linkerskold, Mrs. Martha	5
Logan, Mary Eager	5
Lopin, Maxwell E.	2
Lorenzen, Amil	5
Ludeman, Richard H.	5
Lynn, Harry W.	10
M. C. D.	1
M. E. P.	2
M. E. S.	1
M. H. G.	5
M. S. N., Caldwell, N. J.	2
M. S. W.	2
M.K.S. and J.S.	5
M. W.	5
Maass, Herbert H.	20
McCaughins, Wm.	5
McDonough, Mr. and Mrs. J. R., and Joan	10
McGhee, H.	2
Machen, Frank	5
McIntosh, J. Ros.	5
McKenna, Jewell C.	5
McLean, F. B.	10
McNish, Helen B.	1
McVicker, Henry L.	200
Maltre, H. R.	5
Manfield, Harriet S.	5
Manion, J. J.	50
Martel	1
Mannen, Marjorie	10
Mansoff, Mrs. Alfred	5
Masback, Mildred and Harold	5
Mentzel, Mrs. E. J.	10
Meynen, P. K.	10
Meyer H.	3
Meyer, Melanie F.	5
Meyer, W. K.	10
Millar, M. E.	10
Miller, Mrs. Julia	10
Mills, Mrs. E. C.	10
Mooney, C. J.	5
Moore, C. D.	1
Montabert, Betty	5
Montabert, M.	10
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P. R.	10
Page, R. G.	10
Perfumery, Soap and Allied Industries of N. Y.	431.76
Persinger, Ovin B.	3
Peterson, Miss E.	5
Peyton, Mrs. E. H.	5
Picker, Myrtle L.	15
Pond, Frances	5
Porter, Mrs. W. G.	20
Preston, R. A. D.	10
Price, Mrs. H.	3
Pupils of Mountain Lake P. S., N. J.	10
Quimby, Shirley L.	10
Quinn, W. J.	15
R. P. T.	10
R. R. R.	25
Rawson, Hobart	5
Rayner, M. W.	5
Recht, Leo	10
Reibstein, Leonard	50
Relyea, A. G.	25
Renick, Mr. and Mrs. Felix	25
Reynolds, J. W.	15
Richard (10 yrs.)	5
Richardson, M.	10
Robertson, P. C.	10
Robinson, Jane	10
Robinson, Mrs. J.	5
Robinson, Mrs. W. R.	10
Robitscher, M. B. and J. B. Jr.	5
Rockwell, C. L.	5
Roeder, M. A. and John D.	5
Rogers, E. W.	10
Rohman, G., R., H., M. and W.	$15
Ropes, Elizabeth	5
Rose, George F.	10
Rosenbaum, Alice and Ralph N.	20
Ross, Annie	5
Rothchild, F. O.	1
Rugg, Betty and Jane	2
S. H. W.	20
Sage, Merton W.	100
Samek, Louise and Robert	10
Sanger, Lillie	10
Saunders, A. J.	10
Schaefer, Kate	5
Schanzer Co., Henry	50
Schattman, B. F.	5
Schneider, A.	2
Schirmer, M. S.	10
Schureman, M. T.	5
Schuster, Victoria	5
Scotch Lassie	2
Sedgwick, Catherine	25
Sedgwick, Miss H. H.	5
Simmons, A. D. F.	1
Singerman, Meyer	5
Sinsley, J. H.	10
Smith, Greta E.	5
Smith, Hannah	5
Smith, Osbourne Guthrie Jr.	5
Soloman, Mrs. Rose	5
Sonneborn, M. S.	10
Sniffen, S. B.	5
Spelden Whitefield Company, Inc.	25
Springer, Amelia	1
Steinhardt, David J.	10
Steinhardt, Mrs. Henry	10
Stern, Sidney S.	15
Sterns, M. E.	2
Steurer, J. A.	5
Stiger, Frances A.	5
Stone & Webster	10
Stover, G. W.	5
Strong, H. L.	5
Stumps, Winifred	10
Styles, Marion	1
Sutton, Elizabeth	4
Swaney, Eva Ingersoll	5
Cohn, Sylvan Jr. & Chas. Norman	5
T.	1
T. D. W.	50
Tagert, S. D.	5
Tanner, Laura V.	10
Teddy, Jack and Peter	10
Terrell, Alfred	25
Employes of J. C. Menkin Co.	5
The Home of the Postage Stamp	5
The proceeds of a Raffle, A.T.W.	9.50
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V. H. G.	25
V. J. R.	10
Velve, J., Co.	1
W. E. G.	5
W. H. F.	10
Walker, S. L.	5
Washington Hgts. Chapter, American War Mothers	10
Warschauer, I.	100
Watkins, E. B.	5
Walmsley, A. S., Martin, C. E., Chintz E.	20
Wee Billy	2
Weingarten, Frederick S.	10
Wedge, George A.	10
White, A.	10
Whitelaw, Mrs. Norman	10
Whitman, Roscoe L.	10
Wihr, N. Mathe.	10
Wilkes, N. R.	25
Wilson, L. P. C.	15
Winters, William H.	5
Winston, C. S.	15
Wrigley, C. F. J.	5
Wyckoff, Leona E.	5
Wyckoff, Richard B.	2
Yeager, Mary A.	4
Young, Mrs. John P.	200
Zabriskie, Arthur	100
Zepher, Minnie	5
Total	$9,467.10

INCREASE HAVANA SERVICE.

Ward Liners Will Sail From Here Each Wednesday and Saturday.

To care for the rapidly increasing demand for passenger accommodation between New York and Havana, the Ward Line has announced that beginning Jan. 9 there will be two express services weekly between these two cities. The steamship Siboney will leave New York every Wednesday, arriving at Havana the following Saturday, while the Orizaba will leave every Saturday, arriving at Havana on Tuesday.

The dining rooms of these fast steamships have accommodation to seat all the passengers at one sitting and new lounges and card rooms were provided when the two ships were last overhauled.

Besides the biweekly express service to Havana there will be a Saturday service to the Mexican ports, by the steamships Porto Rico, Monterey and Mexico, which will call at Havana each way, making three sailings every week for Cuba.

Three Bears Frolic on Lawn.

Special to The New York Times.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Bears are plentiful in sections of Sullivan and Delaware Counties. On the lawn of G. I. Treyzis's residence at Cook's Falls three bears staged a frolic. Several have recently been seen along the highway complacently gazing at automobiles.

GERMAN GOOD-WILL RADIOED FROM DISCS

Messages to America, Recorded Abroad, Are Broadcast Here by New Device.

'PEACE ON EARTH' IS URGED

Stresemann Thanks Us for Aid, Loebe Sees Hard Days, Eckener Asks End of "Mistrust."

Voices of Germany's leading statesmen urging "peace on earth" were heard in many parts of the United States last night in a Christmas greeting by radio from the German Republic to the American people. By means of a new electrical device used in connection with the recently invented producer, the Panatrope, the addresses, actually delivered in private and recorded on wax in Berlin, Dec. 9, were broadcast through WRNY, the Radio News Station in the Hotel Roosevelt, and simultaneously through the Westinghouse chain of stations in Pittsburgh, Chicago, Springfield, Mass., and Hastings, Neb.

This was the first time a special program produced in Europe by statesmen, artists and other famous personages had been broadcast in this country. So clearly did the Panatrope reproduce the voices that it was impossible for a listener-in to detect that the speakers and singers were not actually before the microphone. The instrument was developed by the General Electric Company in conjunction with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company and the Brunswicke-Balke-Collender Company. Through the Foreign Institute in Stuttgart, arrangements for this new kind of record of an original German broadcast were made by Stanley McClatchie, an American radio engineer living in Germany.

The program included addresses by Dr. Karl Stresemann, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the German Republic; Dr. Paul Loebe, President of the Reichstag; State Secretary Bredow and Dr. Hugo Eckener, pilot of the ZR-3, now the Los Angeles, on her transatlantic flight to America. Clare Dux and Cornelius Bronsgeest of the Berlin State Opera sang solos and a duet, and J. Berger, 'cellist, played.

Stresemann Tells of Friendship.

All the speeches were delivered in German and the English translation afterward broadcast by WRNY's announcer. Dr. Stresemann said:

"Over thousands of miles I am speaking on the first hopeful day of this year to the proud American people to whom we Germans are united by so many ties of blood and friendship. Since a war ended that has thrown disaster into European peoples, and among them, especially the German people, the sincere endeavors to relieve the hardships caused by the world-wide misfortune have found efficient support first of all with the American nation, and our heartfelt thanks are due them.

"The American people, so united in their national pride, have a different standing in the world. Hardly another people is so fit to form a solid foundation of future world-political development. May the American citizens consider it their great task to keep on being energetic promoters of the ideals of humanity. We know how far spread this idea is in the country of George Washington.

"Unlike the United States, we are at the threshold of a new period of time. This young and powerful America is confronted by a Europe overfed with culture, bleeding from a thousand wounds; in it a Germany, great and unshakable in its spiritual determination, but economically weakened, without the proud power which she once called her own, poor in material possessions, but rich in firm resolve to effect the reconstruction of her country in spite of all difficulties.

"This reconstruction can only be accomplished by means of the united work of the nations with each other, none in conflict with another. That is why the German people have undertaken those steps which led to the Treaty of Locarno, which we hope may be the beginning of a new era in which the nations will learn to understand each other; in which their great struggle and strife will lastly be directed to serve, through the development of their own people, all humanity.

"We are convinced that our appeal for cooperation to promote world peace nowhere else finds an echo as strong as in the United States and among its people. If thus we join hands in united endeavor we shall, with the help of God, accomplish great things in the coming year."

Loebe Sees Germany Suffering.

Dr. Loebe spoke as follows:

"To the citizens of the great American Republic I send German greetings on this Christmas Day. On the day of Christ, when politics and business are resting, many may speak to man; he may put into the service of the great cause heart and sentiment which conquer the domination of sober reasoning.

"Once this year it was my good fortune to see with my own eyes the imposing strength and energy with which the American nation is daily raising its economic structure and its culture; to admire the community spirit of American citizens who dedicate to their people wonderful foundations, museums, educational institutes. I gained the conviction that this feeling of human brotherhood is thereby expressed and is extending itself over the cultural endeavor of the universe.

"Germany is still suffering bitterly. Europe has not as yet overcome the effects of the war, but even if we have risen by our labor from the worst depths, hard days still confront us. We hope, however, that, through the far-extending cooperation of America, we shall be able to further the work of recuperation, and that we may safely and with full justification say this Christmas—peace on earth."

Dr. Eckener, although himself strongly in favor of "peace on earth, good-will to men," expressed doubt of the possibility that the gospel of Christmas time would ever be put into universal practice. He said:

"I am delighted to be allowed to speak over half the globe in my own voice to the people of the United States, with whom I became acquainted through another wonder of modern technic when I came to them through the air a year ago and was welcomed in such a hearty and friendly spirit.

"I am not optimist enough to believe that the gospel of "peace on earth" will be materialized in this world of contradictions. It probably will always remain a longing and an unobtained ideal because the entire living world and its cultural development advance through competition, and competition, under circumstances, leads to heated arguments. But I believe the spirit of mistrust and misrepresentation which is still governing the world must and will not remain, for that would mean disaster for mankind. There must and will occur a progressive calming down of opinion and an increase of good-will among the nations of culture toward each other.

"Modern technic brought about the tension among far-distant nations; it made felt economical competition through modern transportation and created a threat through the modern technic of arms. But the modern technic also will be the means of overcoming mutual threatenings. It will replace the present overstrained socialistic excesses and contrasts by creating a solidarity of nations of culture within certain limits without destroying the cultural individuality of peoples. I hope the more far-seeing minds of all nations of culture will soon cooperate to eliminate the mental aberrations which have spread during the last decade."

Bredow Calls Radio Peace Aid.

Secretary Bredow devoted most of his time "on the air" to praise of radio. Of it he said in conclusion:

"It will eventually unite the nationalities into one great community and through daily mutual experiences convey the conviction that they are all members of one great spiritual association. So can radio in the future contribute to the mutual understanding of nations, and perhaps serve the peace which humanity needs. In this spirit the German radio friends extend heartiest Christmas greetings to all Americans."

A statement issued at The Radio News station read:

"These voices of famous Germans were heard as a result of a new electrical system never before attempted in this country. The records were made in the laboratories of the Vox Company, in Berlin, by a special process. A condenser microphone was set up in the studio while an electrical reproducer was connected on a specially prepared wax disc.

"These records were rushed by special messenger across the Atlantic and arrived here Dec. 23. The quality of reproduction given by this process enabled listeners to hear the program exactly as it was recorded. This method should not be confused with the ordinary phonographic method for the reason that the wax records themselves were rebroadcast by means of a special electrical reproducer connected directly with the transmitting equipment of WRNY.

"While the broadcasting was in progress no sound was heard in the studio, as the entire transmission and pick-up were electrical throughout. A phonograph cannot faithfully reproduce the delicate vibrations of electrically recorded sounds. Through the Panatrope it is possible to take an original sound, cause it to be changed to electrical waves and finally reproduce it again with a loss which is infinitesimal."

RECORDED ON PIANO WIRE.

Stuttgart Part of Program Was Put on a Sensitized Strand.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 25.—The German radio program broadcast tonight by Station KDKA here, was prepared in Stuttgart and Berlin. The Stuttgart program was recorded on a piano wire by the telegrapone process invented by Poulsen, which records voice and other sounds by magnetizing the wire at different intensities as the wire is drawn over an electro-magnet. The Berlin program was made by a new method in the studios of the Berlin Broadcasting Company by means of which the timbre of the voice and musical tones are reproduced with a heretofore impossible naturalness.

The program was put on the air from KDKA on both WBZ, Springfield, Mass., and KYW, Chicago, which broadcast wave lengths of 309 meters and the short wave. The short wave transmissions were received by the other stations and broadcast on regular wave length.

5 IN FAMILY POISONED; 2 DIE, BABY UNHARMED

Washington Child Found Playing With Broken Music Record, Yale Toys Untouched.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—A broken music record to play with was all that Christmas meant to Mary Lorena Harris, 2 years old. Her mother, Mrs. Ruth Caroline Harris, 27, and her brother, John, aged 5, were dead; another brother, James, aged 4, and her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Beyer, were in a critical condition, and her father, Truman Leon Harris, 34, was seriously ill. All, police believed, were the unwitting victims of poison eaten Christmas Eve.

The mother and father stayed up late, trimming the Christmas tree and arranging the toys for their children. They had not been touched when Harris staggered to a neighbor's door late today, asking for aid. Mrs. Harris and John were found in one room, already dead, and Mrs. Beyer and James were in another, unconscious. Mary Lorena was laying with the broken record.

A slight odor of gas was detected, but little importance was attached to this, and an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Harris was ordered, while several bottles and empty vegetable cans were sent to the district chemist for analysis.

Harris was treated at a hospital and then was held by the police for investigation. After going to bed, with the trees and presents all ready to surprise the children in the morning, he said the first thing he knew was when he awoke this afternoon, "feeling terrible."

"The children complained slightly while my wife and I were trimming the tree," he recalled, "but their ills were not regarded as serious."

LIGHTWEIGHT'S FISTS BETTER THAN A PISTOL

Messenger, Locked in Room, Fells Gunman and Saves His Microscopes.

William Schock, a twenty-two-year-old messenger and formerly an amateur lightweight boxer, employed by E. B. Meyrowitz, Inc., dealers in surgical instruments and optical supplies, is something of a hero in the eyes of his employers. On Thursday afternoon Schock was sent to deliver $450 worth of microscopes and other instruments to a man who said he was "L. D. Gunn of New Brunswick" in his hotel room. Gunn is described as more than six feet tall and weighing more than 200 pounds.

When Schock arrived in the room with the instruments, according to the story he told later, Gunn locked the door and told Schock to sit down. Schock said that he preferred to stand, whereupon Gunn flourished a pistol and pointed it at the little messenger.

Schock said he did not stop to consider consequences, but promptly swung at the big man's jaw—and connected. The stranger dropped his pistol, but Schock continued beating him until suddenly Gunn leaped to his feet, unlocked the door and ran out. Schock picked up the microscope and followed. He reported the matter to the hotel manager and returned to the store, showing two battered hands as the result of his encounter.

Visiting Teacher Work Continues.

Ten representative cities throughout the United States are continuing visiting-teacher work as part of their public school systems. This work was brought about as the result of three-year demonstrations by the Commonwealth Fund Program for the Prevention of Delinquency. Demonstrations are still in progress in twenty other cities and counties. At present there are 186 visiting teachers in the United States, working in sixty-four cities and six counties.

Utah-Idaho Sugar Plant Burned.

SPANISH FORK, Utah, Dec. 25 (AP).—Fire destroyed today the warehouse of the Utah-Idaho Sugar Company here, causing a loss estimated at $800,000. The warehouse contained 123,000 sacks of sugar, valued at $700,000, representing the entire 1925 output of the plant.

SENATORS LESS FIRM FOR TAX PUBLICITY

But Polls Indicate a Majority Still Favor Open Records of Amounts Paid.

OPPONENTS RELY ON HOUSE

Latter Regarded as Likely to Stand Out for the Repeal of the Publicity Clause.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Informal polls taken in the Senate by both advocates and opponents of publishing the amount of income tax paid to the Government indicate a strong reversal from the attitude taken by the Senate in 1924 when the Norris amendment, authorizing publication of the fullest details of income tax returns, was approved by a vote of 48 to 27.

Those who consider publication of the "amount of tax paid" an infringement of personal rights and a procedure proved useless since it has been in effect, now appear to believe the Senate will agree with the House in eliding the provision from the new tax reduction bill. Were politics left out of the issue and Senators free to vote their own convictions there seems little doubt that this would be the result.

Breaks in the Democratic ranks on the question of publicity have proved vexatious to leaders of that party, who fear that such men as Senators Bruce, Glass, Harrison, King and Underwood will take along with them others representing conservative interests and whose constituencies are made up principally of urban dwellers rather than rural communities. But the Democratic leaders will not admit this and indications are that Senator Simmons of North Carolina, ranking Democrat of the Finance Committee and party captain on tax matters, again will demand publicity if only as a trade proposition, perhaps later to be sacrificed for some other issue.

The Norris amendment was the real test of how the Senate felt on publicity when the 1924 tax bill was under consideration because this amendment went far beyond what was eventually adopted. Senator Norris demanded that each particular of an income taxpayer's return be laid bare to every one, but this was rejected by the Finance Committee, which substituted, and later forced through the conference, the words "and the amount of tax paid." When the Norris vote was taken twenty-one Senators were absent, but their presence would not have changed the result, as the majority of them favored publicity.

The surveys now being made in the Senate are not complete and are subject to revision, but the general idea is that those favoring publicity have the advantage thus far by from ten to fifteen votes out of the ninety-six in the Senate. This, say the objectors to publicity, does not indicate the final result, which they declare will be greatly affected by the public pressure being brought for repeal of the clause.

Arguments used by opponents of publicity include the outstanding contention that the House has not only abandoned the principle by a decisive vote but is virtually united behind a nonpartisan tax bill and therefore in a position to resist Senate demands when the bill reaches the conference. To this they add that Democrats would show poor political judgment in allying themselves with the radical Republicans for any cause, including that of forcing over the publicity amendment.

DIVES OFF FERRY SLIP, SAVES MAN IN HUDSON

City Employe Heeds the Cries of a Passenger Who Walked Off Boat Into Water.

Alfred Mullard, 48 years old, of 21 East Twenty-fifth Street, was one of the last passengers to leave the ferryboat Edgewater after it docked at the Fort Lee slip, 130th Street and the North River, late last night. But instead of going ashore with the other passengers he walked off into the icy water.

His yells attracted the attention of Rudolph Schlesinger, 42 years, of 418 East Fifty-first Street, who was returning with his wife from an evening spent with friends at Fort Lee, N. J. Schlesinger, a strong swimmer, climbed over the rail and jumped into the water between the boat and the side of the slip and, seizing Mullard by the coat, held his head up until deckhands with boat hooks were able to get them out.

Meanwhile some one had telephoned the police that there had been a serious accident at the Fort Lee Ferry. The emergency squad at the West Thirtieth Street Station was called and made the five miles to 130th Street and the river in eleven minutes. They arrived in time to assist three ambulance surgeons resuscitate the two men who were taken to Knickerbocker Hospital suffering from submersion and chill.

Reserves from two precincts had to be called to control a large and excited crowd which was trying to get in to the ferry house. Schlesinger is a chauffeur employed by the city.

NINE KILLED IN ST. LOUIS.

Christmas Death Toll Includes Seven in Traffic Accidents.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Nine dead was the toll tonight of Yuletide merrymaking in St. Louis.

Seven were killed in traffic accidents Christmas Eve and today, a youth was fatally burned while playing Santa Claus at a Christmas tree in his home and a man was shot and killed in an altercation during a Christmas beer party.

Santa Claus's costume was ignited by a candle on the tree while he was distributing gifts among his brothers and sisters.

Charles W. Baker, 27, confessed having shot and killed John J. Krause, 48, in a fight on a houseboat on the Mississippi River as a result of a "Christmas beer party."

Forest Fire Factors Studied.

During the past Summer Assistant Silviculturist H. T. Gisborne of the Northern Rocky Mountain Forest Experiment Station spent five days in the Idaho Panhandle district, where the swift-spreading Rode forest fire was raging, taking frequent measurements of humidity, temperature, wind and moisture of forest fuels. In the course of his hazardous observations on behalf of the United States Forest Service, Mr. Gisborne noted three main obstacles to prompt control of fires. The readiness with which dead trees, standing or down, increased the spread of fire was first remarked. Equally striking was the important part played by the wind even when the fire was burning against the wind and downhill. Volume of fuel had also a remarkable effect. Within a circle of a few rods some parts of the fire burned fiercely, others very quietly, each influenced by no other factor than the amount of fuel available.

NEGRO LIFE STORY IS EXHIBITED HERE

Staff at 135th Street Library Prepares 'Negro Harlem,' Now Being Displayed.

INCLUDES SLAVERY DAYS

Poetry, Art, Music and Achievements of Race in Last 20 Years Have Place in Document.

Valuable and little-known material on negro history, literature, music and art is contained in a new exhibit on "Negro Harlem," prepared by the staff of the 135th Street branch of the Public Library, and put on public display this week in the main library at Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street.

Miss Ernestine Rose, branch librarian in charge of the exhibit, explained yesterday that it was not intended to be a comprehensive survey of negro life in New York, but simply suggestive, as an indication of the rich fields of study which still await investigation. The aim of the exhibit, Miss Rose said, "is to portray something of Harlem's sources, its roots in New York life, and its present achievements and interests." As a result, the exhibit deals not only with the Harlem of 1925, but with the South of slavery days, with the curious nineteenth-century experiments of Haiti and Liberia, and with the unusual development of negro poetry, music, art and drama in the last twenty years.

One entire section is devoted entirely to books and papers on slavery and reconstruction, including pathetic narratives of fugitive slaves. A faded handbill in heavy black letters tells the story of Moses Roper, who escaped from slavery on a plantation and went to England and lectured there on conditions in America to help pay for a European education. The handbill announced a meeting held in the City of Hull in 1839, and reads: "American Slavery: On Tuesday, Oct. 8, 1839, to Commence at Half Past Six in the Evening, Moses Roper, Who Made His Escape from Slavery, Will Deliver an Address in the Public Rooms, Jarratt Street, Hull, Where He Will Give an Account of His Personal Experience of Slavery as It Now Exists in the United States of America, and Will in the Course of His Lecture Exhibit Several Instruments of Torture."

Among the oldest documents shown are proclamations and orders of Toussaint L'Ouverture, Governor of Haiti in the reign of the first Napoleon. There are also a number of rare old documents from Monrovia, the capital of Liberia, one of which contains an address by Edward W. Blyden in 1857 before the Common Council and citizens of the tiny negro capital on the West Coast of Africa.

Those who visit the exhibit linger longest over the cases which trace the development of negro poetry, drama, art and music. Side by side in one case are the crude "Poems on Various Subjects, Religious and Moral," written before the Civil War by Phillis Wheatley, a negro servant girl in Boston, and the modern works of Claude McKay, James Weldon Johnson, Countee Cullen and others. Likewise, in the drama exhibit, there are posters and portraits of Ira Aldridge, a negro tragedian of the 1850s, known as "the African Roscius," and present-day photographs and reviews of Charles Gilpin and Paul Robeson, both of whom have starred in O'Neill's drama "The Emperor Jones." A painting of Robeson as the Emperor, by Mabel Wright, hangs on the wall of the exhibition room.

Other exhibits are devoted to negro music, as expressed in the spirituals and in the careers of Coleridge-Taylor and Roland Hayes; old New York documents, chiefly of abolition meetings before the Civil War; and examples of present-day negro journalism in New York.

CO-ED WIFE DEFENDS MARRIED STUDENTS

Disagrees With Dr. Straton That Marital State and College Career Are Incompatible.

The question of the compatibility of marriage with college life is being discussed by persons widely known in all walks of life in The New York University Daily News. Of the most recent of these, Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, expressed himself in favor of single college students.

A married co-ed attending the Washington Square College of the university, who believed that most of the declarations against student marital adventures were unwarranted, wrote a letter to the university publication in which she condemned such opinions as expressed by Dr. Straton. She said:

"I am a junior co-ed and have been married exactly one year, and so far have not found going to school and keeping house such a terribly unbearable task. I am not the only one who is doing this. I personally am acquainted with four other girls who are doing it, all undergraduates, all married about one year, more or less, and none seeming any the worse for accomplishing the two things which many would make incompatible. I know, too, that none of these girls have received any lower grades in their work; in fact, in some cases their marks have improved. We all fully intend to get our degree, and I'm sure we are all going to.

"After all, why shouldn't a married woman go to college? Household duties, if systematically and efficiently done, take up only a small portion of the day. Instead of going to bridge parties, indulging in idle gossip and becoming, as most women do, social parasites, I think it is far better to lead a life which, it is true, is a good deal more strenuous, but is much more beneficial for mind and body."

The letter is signed "L. K." The statement which Miss "L. K." took exception to in Dr. Straton's article was the following:

"While young men are at college they should devote their time to education. They should avoid marriage while non-supporting, since they can do neither justice to their studies nor to their home life. Marriage is a business in itself."

Die by Gas After Decking Tree.

A decorated Christmas tree near their bed, William Anderson, 22 years old, a negro, and his wife Lucille, 21 years old, were found dead yesterday afternoon from gas which was escaping from an open jet of a gas heater in their apartment at 225 West 139th Street. Anderson's sister, who lives near by, discovered the tragedy. Police reported the deaths as accidental.

Woman's Press Club Meets Today.

The Woman's Press Club, Amy Wren, President, will celebrate "Press Day" this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Waldorf-Astoria, with Marguerite Linton Glentworth, the author, as Chairman. Alfred Noyes is to be a guest of honor and speaker. Other speakers include Edward Branch Lyman, George W. Ochs Oakes, Mrs. Alton Brooks Parker, Mrs. Frances Kautz Read, Miss Rachel Crothers and Marguerite L. Glentworth. There will be a reception at 4:30 P. M.

From the Founder's Writings

He That Will Not Be Counseled Cannot Be Helped

B. F. is reported to have once said something like this:

"A slip of the foot can be soon recovered, but a slip of the tongue may never be gotten over."

Far too many of us act as if we knew it all, whatever the subject may be or the standing and knowledge of the man who approaches us, who is simply striving to do his duty with faithfulness to his chief.

Some milk gets sour overnight, but some men's natures sour in a minute over small suggestions made in the interest of the business.

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THE $1.65 TO $1.95 GRADES
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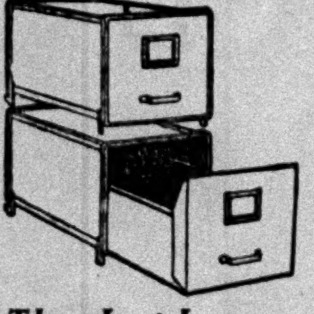

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CREDIT CONCERNS HELD AS TAXABLE

Solicitor Gregg Rules That the Agricultural Corporations Must Pay Income Levies.

BECAUSE SEEKING PROFITS

Ruling Points to Different Status of Credit Banks and Farm Loan Associations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—National agricultural credit corporations have been held subject to income taxation in a ruling by A. W. Gregg, solicitor of Internal Revenue. When this became known today, observers saw it as a new element in the whole rural credit problem.

Mr. Gregg's ruling has not been made public by the Internal Revenue Bureau, but it has been circulated among the routine guiding decisions within the bureau, thus making it effective at once and entailing an immediate study of several returns under the Revenue act of 1924.

The ruling held that if the agricultural credit corporations were entitled to exemption at all, this must come under Section 231 of the act, and then asserted:

"National agricultural credit corporations are not exempt from income taxation under Section 231 of the Revenue act of 1924."

Attention was called in the ruling to the fact that Section 231 specifically carried into the Revenue act exemptions granted to certain forms of mutual and governmental agencies of finance. It was suggested as significant that the provision which authorized the formation of the national agricultural credit corporations failed to mention the exemption from taxation which had been granted to Federal intermediate credit banks, Federal Farm Loan associations, and Federal Farm Loan Banks as applicable to the newly authorized agency.

"This distinction," the ruling explained, "with respect to the Federal intermediate credit banks on the one hand, and national agricultural credit corporations on the other, would appear to be due to the fact that the stock of the former organizations is owned wholly by the Government and controlled by the Federal Farm Loan Board, whereas the latter organizations are privately owned and controlled. Furthermore, the national agricultural credit corporations differ from national farm loan associations in that stock ownership in the latter is limited to borrowers on farm land mortgages.

"To summarize, it is apparent the intermediate credit banks are Federal governmental agencies, and the reason for their exemption is obvious; that national farm loan associations operate substantially as mutual building and loan associations, which are exempt under Section 231 (4), whereas the national agricultural credit corporations are organized as an ordinary corporation for profit, having a capital stock represented by shares upon which it may distribute profits in the form of dividends.

"It is accordingly held that national agricultural credit corporations are not exempt from income taxation under Section 231 of the Revenue act of 1924."

HOLDS WESTERN RULING UNLIKE CHAPMAN CASE

Federal Offiical in Connecticut Says Perovich Decision Is Quite Different.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 25 (AP).—That the ruling by Judge John C. Pollack in the United States that a Presidential commutation of sentence of a prisoner is not binding unless accepted by the prisoner is not at variance with the decision by Judge Edwin S. Thomas in the Gerald Chapman case, was the assertion today of Assistant United States Attorney George H. Cohen, who represented the Government at the Chapman habeas corpus hearing.

The Kansas City case centres about the claim of Vuce Perovich, a Montenegrin nobleman, who was convicted of murder in Alaska and sentenced by the Federal court to be executed. President Taft commuted this to life imprisonment, and Perovich was confined in Leavenworth Prison, despite his refusal of the commutation. The case came before Judge Pollack on Perovich's contention that he was illegally imprisoned for life and the Judge ordered his release.

In the Perovich case, Mr. Cohen said, Judge Pollack acted in accordance with previous decisions, which hold that changes in sentence, when not merely a lessening of the amount of the original sentence, require the acceptance of tehe prisoner.

In the Chapman case, Mr. Cohen continued, the change in sentence was clearly a lessening of the sentence imposed for mail robbery, a change in degree and amount of sentence, but not in kind. In the Perovich case, the issue, as Mr. Cohen sees it, was the change in the kind of sentence, from death to life imprisonment.

SHORT CIRCUIT KILLS BOY.

Rhode Island Student Dies in Attempt to Throw Off Switch.

ARCTIC, R. I., Dec. 25 (AP).—Leon Delobbe, 15-year-old son of Adolphe Delobbe and a student at the West Warwick High School, was electrocuted this afternoon when he attempted to throw off a switch in the bakery of J. H. Delobbe here, where he was working during the Christmas vacation. Efforts to revive the boy by artificial respiration were futile.

Representatives of the Narragansett Electric Lighting Company, who examined the wiring after the accident, stated that the boy probably stepped upon a pipe leading to the switch, in which there may have been a short circuit.

TO START NIGHT AIR FREIGHT

Paris-London Service Will Be Opened on Jan. 15.

LE BOURGET, France, Dec. 25 (AP).—Airplane freight express service between Paris and London by night will begin on Jan. 15 on the line of the Imperial Airways, Limited.

"Urgent merchandise" is the way the company describes the facilities offered by the experimental trips. If the freight service is successful a night passenger service will be added.

The London-Paris air route is now illuminated at ten different points by special ground lights and flashing beacons.

Woman Saved From East River.

A woman who said she was Mary Preusser, 45 years old, of 317 Furman Street, Brooklyn, jumped or fell last night into the waters of the East River at Pier 18, foot of Joralemon Street, Brooklyn, according to the police. She was rescued by Peer Barrett, a United States Customs guard, and Frederick Lohman, watchman for the Isthmian Steamship Lines. At the Cumberland Street Hospital she was treated for submersion and dismissed.

MORGENTHAU BOAT TOSSED IN WILD GALE

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sheltered spot. The captain decided to seek shelter, and made for a little cove.

After battling through heavy seas and against terrific winds, the boat reached the cove, where the sea was so rough that several attempts to launch a lifeboat proved unavailing.

These attempts were seen by fishermen and they ran their smack along side the tender and took off the Morgenthau party, which included Dr. Lorando of the medical staff of the Near East Orphanage. While the transfer was under way the captain put out three lines in addition to an anchor, and then had difficulty in making his boat ride out the storm.

"The spot where the fishermen landed us was a lonely stretch of shore, about ten or fifteen miles from the nearest village," Mr. Morganthau continued. "There was not a house near. Rain was falling in torrents, and hail pelted us with the force of a terrific wind behind it.

Found Shelter in Rocks.

"The nearest thing to a shelter that we could find was a cleft in the rocks. In a sort of cave we found some protection from the wind and the hail, but we did not have much protection against the rain. My father was drenched.

"We had no food or water, because the tender was not provisioned. We spent the night on shore. Next morning we saw a fishing boat, which we hailed. The fishermen advised us to go out to another part of the coast where we could get a telephone and ask for assistance. Dr. Lorando walked to the nearest village, and from there rode on muleback for four hours before he found a telephone and asked the Near East Relief to send an automobile for us. We did not get back to Corinth until late that afternoon.

"It was a trying experience for my parents, and because of their years we were uncertain of the effects of the exposure. But fortunately they were none the worse. If it hadn't been for the excellent seamanship of the captain of the tender I fear the boat with all on board would have been lost."

Mr. Morgenthau Jr., his wife and mother sailed on the Leviathan on Oct. 24 for Europe. They went to Rome, where they were joined by Mr. Morgenthau Sr., who sailed ten days later from New York on the Duilio, for Naples.

Mr. Morgenthau Sr., visited Greece to see how the work of repatriating 1,250,000 Greek refugess from Turkey had progressed since he organized and initiated that relief work as head of the Commission for the Repatriation of Greek Refugess. He found that the work of repatriation had been practically completed, according to his son, and that most of the refugess had settled in their new homes in Greece.

From Greece Mr. and Mrs. Morgenthau went on to Palestine and Egypt. They will continue their trip around the world, and expect to return to New York in May.

ROME NEWSPAPERS MERGE.

L'Idea Nazionale, a Fascist Organ, Appears for Last Time Monday.

ROME, Dec. 25 (AP).—L'Idea Nazionale, the Fascist daily newspaper, will appear for the last time on Monday. The newspaper will then be merged with La Tribuna, under the editorship of Dr. Roberto Forges Davanzati.

Available records give Alfredo Rocco as publisher of L'Idea Nazionale. Signor Rocco is Mussolini's Minister of Justice. The Fascist Minister of the Interior, Luigi Federzoni, also is listed as an editor of the paper.

Olindo Malagodi is the publisher of La Tribuna, which is described as pursuing a neutral editorial policy, with slight Fascist leanings.

Dr. Roberto Forges Davanzati is listed as an editor of L'Idea Nazionale.

ADMITS SENDING CIRCULARS

W. E. Wolfe, Held for Inciting Murder, Says He Meant No Offense.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25 (AP).—William Elmer Wolfe, arrested Wednesday by Federal authorities on a charge of using the mails to incite assassination of high Government officials, was arraigned before Federal Commissioner Hayden yesterday.

He admitted having printed and circulated thousands of circulars from New York and Oakland, where he was arrested, but said he intended no criminal offense. In default of $10,000 bail he was remanded to jail to await Federal Grand Jury action.

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THE SCREEN

By MORDAUNT HALL.

A Gem of Delight.

A KISS FOR CINDERELLA, with Betty Bronson, Tom Moore, Esther Ralston, Henry Vibart and others, adapted from Sir James M. Barrie's play of the same name, directed by Herbert Brenon; "The Melting Pot," a stage divertissement arranged and directed by John Murray Anderson. At the Rivoli.

Preceded by an acutely modern and glittering stage production—which was by no means inspired by the lassies of Parnassus, Herbert Brenon's skillful film conception of Sir James M. Barrie's play, "A Kiss For Cinderella," came to the Rivoli screen yesterday afternoon and was as welcome as a Spring breeze ladened with the perfume of flowers. One had lived in a palace of jazz; the flashing figure of a Russian dancer on roller skates clung to one's mind until finally his acrobatic figure was wafted away by the presence of a London policeman chatting with an artist in his studio. Then one saw the pathetic little slavey, Cinderella, the girl who took her existence in verse and lived on poetry. This valiant young soul was soft, sweet, and although one could not hear her voice, one fancied one could, and that it tinkled. And from then on one lived an hour or so in much the same way as Daisy Ashford's characters in "The Young Visitors." The man in the white dinner jacket, with the wide, white trousers and glistening white satin bands and lapel coverings, who had sent the full blasts of his musicians from the floor to the roof and back again, was gone! One gazed peacefully at the charming story of Cinderella.

Mr. Brenon ought to be toasted with baked potatoes and ice cream cones, as is the King in this whimsical narrative, for he has produced a marvelous rendition of the Barrie play. He has crowded most cleverly into a comparatively short sequence an unbelievably joyous conception of Cinderella's ball. It is a gorgeous piece of work in which the camera wizard and the stage designer have ably supported Mr. Brenon.

You see the credulous young Cinderella sitting on the stone step of her forbidding dwelling. Beside her is the cheery Bobby's lantern, and before her, as the snowflakes fall lightly to the ground, are the white mice in a cage and the pumpkin. The Policeman is off on his beat, having wrapped his woolen scarf around Cinderella's ankles. He also leaves his lantern as a "sort of protection." The Fairy Godmother appears, and soon Cinderella is delightful in white silks and furs. The mice in the cage grow just a bit, then a little more, and still more, until one beholds them as four cream-white horses, pulling, of course, the gorgeous carriage, in which Cinderella finds herself with none other than Lord Cutaway. The equippage, in lieu of taking an earthly route to Buckingham Palace, travels over the moon-lighted clouds until it comes to such a palace as Cinderella imagined would be the scene of her ball. The vehicle bursts through the high, Gothic-arched gates and only stops when it comes to a platform overlooking the brilliant but odd gathering on the great waxed floor.

There is the King, wearing a costume with "Clubs" as his emblem, rocking on his jewel-studded throne. His Queen is beside him. When they stand to address their subjects they have subway straps to support themselves. Prince Hard-to-Please yawns after inspecting a dozen beauties, none of whom was acceptable for his bride because they all erred in not having feet small enough. There is the King's crest, "A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned," and as the King looks at his guests he politely passes his Queen a banana, which she eats with evident gusto. There, opposite the throne, is the King's own special gas meter, wherein, if you please, he had the Prince insert a shilling when the flame is low in the gas stove. This ballroom is thronged with Policemen. The Censor wears a costume like the Lord High Executioner, and pages in costermonger's "pearlies" officiate for the adorably clothed court ladies. After Cinderella has passed the primary test of being good, by making a 99 on a clinical thermometer, one perceives the tonic that a small foot gives to the jaded Prince.

Although this ballroom scene is a marvel of Barriesque detail, which fills one with amusement and wonder, there are other sequences that hold their own. There is the Venus de Milo in Mr. Bodie's studio, alluded to as Mrs. Bodie by Miss Thing, as the "infallayable" policeman at first has the temerity to call Cinderella, little knowing that he will meet her later as his princess when he has changed his blue policeman's coat and helmet for the less ungainly costume of a Jack of Hearts.

In harking back to the different scenes, one can't help loving Mr. Bodie for frankly admitting that he has never seen a policeman with his helmet off. And as Mr. Bodie officiates as the King, one also admires his frankness for thundering through his court room that he is glad to have the guest there at his and the Queen's expense.

Betty Bronson, who conquered many a heart with her portrayal of Peter Pan, is just as clever in the part of the slavey who got three shillings a week. Hers is a truly wistful characterization, in which there comes a smile at daring to hope and trust, a tear creeping to the eye in pity for something, a dread of the hour of midnight, the gratification expressed at the sight of the Prince, whose face is not that of a stranger, after all. She is captivating in every scene, pathetic to the point of making one look at her through a mist of tears. That sterling old protagonist, Henry Vibart, gives a gentle and sympathetic performance as the rather nervous Mr. Bodie, and later, as the King, he is beheld as Cinderella sees him, far more sure of himself, not in the least afraid or bewildered. Tom Moore gets under one's skin with his genial smile, or he gives a good account of himself as Policeman David. There are, however, moments when he ought to have kept a straight face in lieu of looking amused, and the cut of his short tunic in the last sequence is much too well tailored for a London bobby. Esther Ralston, who impersonated Mrs. Darling in "Peter Pan," graces the screen in this current effort as a dazzling fairy godmother.

"A Kiss for Cinderella" is a picture which makes one feel all the better for having seen it. It will stir the very souls of children and it will sweeten the minds of the grown-ups—aye, even those whose hair glistens with gray.

The new idea at the Rivoli is to have a John Murray Anderson revue in addition to the screen feature, and no real prologue. This theatre, which now is run by the Publix Theatres Corporation, has been remodeled so as to have more stage space. Mr. Anderson's current production is hailed as "The Melting Pot," in which the dancers of different nations, after giving their native performance, pass through the melting pot and emerge clad in glistening gold. There is too much of a contrast between this stage effort and the delicate charm of Barrie's story.

Next Week's Photoplays.

"His Secretary," with Norma Shearer, is to be held over at the Capitol for a second week.

The International Film Arts Guild will revive tomorrow "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which is to be exhibited for one day only at the Central Theatre. The revival on Jan. 3 at the same theatre will be Lillian Gish and Richard Barthelmess in "'Way Down East."

Ernst Lubitsch's picturization of Oscar Wilde's play, "Lady Windermere's Fan," is at Warner's beginning today.

Herbert Brenon's film conception of Sir James M. Barrie's play, "A Kiss for Cinderella," will be continued at the Rivoli.

Robert T. Kane's production, "Bluebeard's Seven Wives," is to be the feature at the Mark Strand.

"The Enchanted Hill," with Florence Vidor and Jack Holt, is to be at the Rialto.

"Irish Luck," with Thomas Meighan, will be at the Cameo and "Lord Jim" at the Broadway.

"The Big Parade," with John Gilbert, will continue at the Astor; "Stella Dallas," with Belle Bennett, at the Apollo; "The Merry Widow," at the Embassy, and "Tumbleweeds," with William S. Hart, at the Brooklyn Strand.

OPERA CHRISTMAS BILLS.

"Aida" at Matinee and "La Boheme" at Night Pack Metropolitan.

Christmas performances at the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday were those of "Aida" in the afternoon and "La Boheme" in the evening. Elizabeth Rethberg appeared for the first time since her illness in the title rôle of Verdi's opera. Her voice showed no signs of her passing indisposition and her singing was as usual a delight to the ear. With her were Martinelli as Radames, de Luca as Amonasro, and Carmela Ponselle, appearing for the second time as Amneris, and interpreting the part with native intelligence. Mr. Serafin conducted.

In the performance of "La Boheme" the Rodolfo was Edward Johnson; Antonio Scotti, Marcello; Millo Picco, Schaunard; Adamo Didur, Colline. The Mimi was Frances Alda and the Musetta Louise Hunter. Mr. Papi conducted this performance. Both in the afternoon and evening there were packed houses, and a holiday spirit reigned in the audience and on the stage.

Theosophical Society Celebrates.

MADRAS, India, Dec. 25 (AP).—The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Theosophical Society opened today at the society's headquarters in Adyar, near Madras, with an attendance of 5,000 delegates representing thirty-seven nationalities from all parts of the world. Mrs. Annie Besant, 78 years old, President of the society, emphasized the underlying unity of the world's great religions. Jinarajadasa, the Vice President, stressed the point that theosophy, or, literally translated, "divine wisdom," is the root of all great religions.

MELLON'S AUTO IS STOLEN.

Thief Works as Secretary Issues a Cheerful Christmas Message.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 25.—While Secretary Andrew W. Mellon was giving a cheerful Christmas message to the nation for 1926, a thief stole his automobile from Kirkwood and Sheridan Avenues this morning. The car bore Washington, D. C., license No. 177. No trace of it has been found.

In his message Secretary Mellon said: "The business outlook for next year is very bright. I don't believe I can add anything to what has already been said on the subject of business, but business and conditions in general in the United States will be sound in 1926."

Secretary Mellon came to Pittsburgh from Washington on Thursday with his son Paul and daughter Ailsa. They are stopping at their Woodland Avenue home.

Asked if he planned any local conferences, political or otherwise, the Secretary replied in the negative, adding that he is here only for the holidays.

With his son and daughter the Secretary plans to leave for Washington at noon on Monday.

BOYS CONFESS TO THEFTS.

Newark Police Say They Admit 25 Robberies of $13,000.

Two boys who were arrested Thursday on charges of participation in the theft of $75,000 in jewelry and furnishings from homes in Newark confessed yesterday to twenty-five burglaries, totaling more than $13,000, according to the Associated Press.

The youths, Frank Tarnecki, 18 years old, of Jersey City, and John Mazepa, 16, of Iselin, on a tour through the city pointed out to the police the twenty-five residences robbed. They were arrested after the confession sometime ago of Morris Vivona, 15 years old, of Newark, and the report that a girl had received a wrist watch in exchange for a kiss.

A cornet and the platinum wrist watch that was said to have been given for the kiss were the only two articles recovered of all the loot.

Lenin's Story Is Made Into a Play.

BERLIN, Dec. 25 (AP).—The story of Lenin has been made into a play by Alfons Paquet, whose socialistic-revolutionary drama "Flags" had an unusual success in Berlin last year. The first presentation of the Lenin drama will begin at the Berliner Volksbuehne in the present season.

TO RUN BOCA RATON INN.

Ritz Carlton Co. Will Operate the Cloister in Florida.

The Ritz Carlton Company will operate the Cloister Inn at Boca Raton, Fla., this Winter, according to an announcement yesterday of the Mizner Development Company. Louis Sherry was to have operated the inn, but retired from the plan because, according to his explanation, of the long delay in completion of the structure.

The announcement from the development company said the inn would be ready for operation by Feb. 1. The Ritz Carlton Company also will operate a new $6,000,000 Ritz Carlton Hotel at Boca Raton, according to the announcement.

MACY INCREASES DONATION.

His Total Pledge for Our Colleges in Near East Is Now $40,000.

V. Everitt Macy yesterday increased his pledge of $25,000 toward the operating fund for American colleges in the Near East to $40,000 in view of the short time which remains in which to collect the entire amount needed to close the campaign and to collect on the conditional gifts made toward it. The fund is now $2,300,000 which leaves $200,000 to be collected within the next six days to complete the fund of $2,500,000.

The money will be used for operating expenses of Robert College, Constantinople Woman's College, American University of Beirut, International College of Smyrna and Sofia American Schools during the next five years.

TWO DROWN SAVING A THIRD.

Three Children Also Lose Lives in Ocean at Eureka, Cal.

EUREKA, Cal., Dec. 25 (AP).—Five persons were drowned here today, two sacrificing their lives in an attempt to save a friend.

Dr. Clarence Graham, 30 years old, and Edwin Morrison, 26, died while trying to pull George Howe, an attorney, from a strong ocean current. Howe finally was rescued, being dragged into a rowboat by Herbert King.

Three children were drowned in a slough.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"The Merchant of Venice," with Walter Hampden and Ethel Barrymore heading the cast, opens at Hampden's Theatre tonight.

"The Matinee Girl" opened in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., last night.

MRS. RHINELANDER'S PARTY

Fifteen Negro and White Guests in the Jones Family Home.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Relatives and friends of Mrs. Leonard Kip Rhinelander and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, joined with Mrs. Rhinelander and the Jones family in a Christmas dinner and celebration at their home, 763 Pelham Road, this afternoon. The guests, who were both white and negro, numbered about fifteen.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, mother of Mrs. Rhinelander, spoke to reporters when her daughter refused to be interviewed. She was reluctant to tell of the events of the day, but said that her daughter had received no word from her husband, Leonard Kip Rhinelander, who recently lost his suit for the annulment of his marriage when he charged that Mrs. Rhinelander had deceived him as to her color and failed to tell him that her father had negro blood.

ENDS LIFE ON FOURTH TRY.

Boston Cabinet Maker Slashes Throat After Pistol Misses Fire.

BOSTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—Despondency over spending Christmas alone in a lodging house was believed by the police to have caused Carl D. Johnson, a cabinet maker, to commit suicide by slashing his throat in his room today.

He failed in three attempts to shoot himself. A revolver with three hammer-dented cartridges which had missed fire was found beside his body.

TROLLEY CAR JUMPS TRACK.

Three Persons Shaken Up in Crash on Hamilton Avenue.

Three persons were shaken up and slightly bruised last night in a rear-end collision between two Hamilton Avenue trolley cars at Hamilton Avenue and West Ninth Street, Brooklyn. One car in taking a switch, jumped the track and crashed into the other.

The three passengers of the first car, Mary Muns, 46 years old, of 262 Hamilton Avenue; John Dodd, 21, 439 Fifty-second Street, and Mary Grasso, 47, 22 Luqueer Street, all of Brooklyn, were treated by ambulance physicians from the Long Island College Hospital and sent home.

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Glenn Hunter in "Young Woodley"

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Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25.—Running out in front from flagfall to finish, J. L. Burtschell's four-year-old gelding Lounger this afternoon captured the seventh running of the Christmas Handicap for all ages which featured an excellent holiday program at Jefferson Park. In well under 108 pounds, the bay son of Sweep and Sweet Marjorie ran the mile and a sixteenth in 1:46 1-5, only four-fifths of a second slower than the track record. Weiner piloted the winner, which was a 3-to-1 shot and paid $8 for a $2 ticket in the mutuels. The race was worth $2,020 to the owner of the winner.

A big crowd turned out for the holiday sport, but followers of form were not over-successful, only two favorites being first home and one of these at odds-on. The track was at its very best and records were several times in jeopardy.

Seven paraded for the Christmas Handicap, the Greentree Stable's Nurmi being the only juvenile entry that accepted the issue. He was coupled with the same owner's Dazzler and the entry was the public choice. There was a good start and Lounger broke well in his stride from his post position next the outside. This proved no handicap and Weiner at once took his mount to the front. The gelding set a fast pace for his field and opened up a lead of a couple of lengths. In the run for home Lounger held on gamely under a hard drive to win by a length and a half from J. Trinz's three-year-old filly Morning Cloud.

"Red" Harvey had the leg up on Morning Cloud, which was outrun during the early part of the race. She came with a rush in the stretch drive and lasted to take the place by a neck from Nurmi. Goldie Johnson held the two-year-old under wraps, saving as much ground as possible, but the youngster failed to respond when set down.

Pepp Forced Wide.

E. K. Bryson's four-year-old Pepp, well-played third choice, was forced wide rounding the final turn and broke down in the stretch drive, despite which he came in fourth, a head in front of Duckweed. Dazzler, after being close with the leaders at first, stopped badly and finished last.

The Greentree Stable was beaten again in the Square Deal Handicap, a dash of six furlongs for all ages which brought half-a-dozen to the barrier, when the four-year-old Omar Khayyam gelding, The Vintner, succumbed to the brilliant finish of W. S. Heaton's five-year-old gelding Banter, one of the long shots of the field. Banter paid $26.60 for a $2 ticket.

The Vintner, with Ellis up, set a sizzling pace, going to the quarter in 0[illegible] 2-5, and to the half in 0:47 1-5. Banter finished it out in 1:12 flat, just a fifth of a second slower than the track record. The Greentree entry was not good enough at the end. Banter, racing on the outside all the way to avoid interference, wore down The Vintner in the last seventy yards and won by three parts of a length in a driving finish. H. Massey's Cyclops finished out gamely to take third money.

Eight juveniles went to the post in the race for the Mistletoe Purse, a dash of five and a half furlongs, and the odds-on favorite came home in front. This was A. L. Austin's Under Fire colt Gettysburg, paying only $3.40 in the machines. Heupel had the mount and rode the colt to his third consecutive victory. In five starts here the colt has not been out of the money.

Gettysburg was off running and was well rated out in front. He gained a length on his nearest opponent, held the others safely throughout and won by that margin from the Idle Hour Stock Farm's Boot to Boot. The Southland Stable's filly Pan's Star took down third money after having been forced wide and losing ground on the turn.

Leatherwood, Mrs. F. G. Bain's four-year-old Light Brigade gelding, was in his best form this afternoon when he led a field of eight of all ages to the wire in the six-furlong dash which opened the holiday program. It was his first winning effort here, although he gained the place on the occasion of his last two outings. Stott had the mount on the winner, which paid his backers $19.80 in the mutuels. It was a thrilling finish, a nose and a head separating the first three horses.

Leatherwood Well Ridden.

Leatherwood was well handled and was close to the leaders in the early stages. In the last furlong Stott shook him up, came on the outside and was up to nose out Miss Rosedale, which ran a game race. She made all the pace and lasted to take the place by a close margin from George Groom.

Eight faced the barrier for the gallop of a mile and a quarter for three-year-olds and upward, in which the Four Oaks Stock Farm's Xanthos was the 9 to 5 favorite. The best the Short Grass gelding could do was to take second money, coming in two lengths behind S. Gooch's three-year-old colt, Star Falcon, which was not greatly fancied, and paid $14.80 for a $2 ticket.

Star Falcon was well rated by Albert Mortensen in back of the pace set by Xanthos in the early part of the race. Turning into the stretch Star Falcon came around the leader under slight restraint and was well in hand at the winning post. Xanthos weakened in the stretch drive. C. R. Allen's Buell's Meteor was poorly handled by Tyler and was five lengths back to take third money. The winner ran the distance in the fast time of 2:08, just a second lower than the track record.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; six furlongs. Leatherwood, 103 pounds (Stott), $19.80, $9.80, first; Miss Rosedale, 103 (Pichon), $22.60, $6.80, second; George Groom, 113 (Dillea), $4.80, third. Time—1:13. Eager, Cup o' Tea, Chesterbrook, Ted Renesor and Care Free also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; one mile and one-quarter. Star Falcon, 103 pounds (Mortensen), $14.80, $5.80, $3.40, first; Xanthos, 112 (Steele), $4.80, $3.60, second; Buell's Meteor, 102 (Tyler), $3.40, third. Time—2:08. Johnny Overton, Miss Claire Richelieu, Pete Foy and Thor also ran.

THIRD RACE—For two-year-olds; allowances, the Mistletoe Purse; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Gettysburg, 105 pounds (Heupel), $3.40, $2.50, $2.40, first; Boot to Boot, 110 (Blind), $3.60, $3.80, second; Pan's Star, 1:07¾ (Garner), $4.20, third. Time—1:07. Cartoon, Driftwood Blaze, Bolton, Macready and Flying Spark also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For all ages; the Square Deal Handicap; purse $1,500; six furlongs. Banter, 103 pounds (Maguire), $26.60, $7.60, $5, first; The Vintner, 120 (Ellis), $3.80, $3.20, second; Cyclops, 116 (C. Lang), $2.80, third. Time—1:12. Sanola, President and Jack Bauer also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For all ages; seventh running the Christmas Handicap; purse $2,500; one and one-sixteenth miles. Lounger, 108 pounds (Weiner), $8, $4.40, $2.80, first; Morning Cloud, 104 (Harvey), $7, $3.00, second; Nurmi, 98 (Johnson), $2.40, third. Time—1:46 4-5. Pepp, Duckweed, King Tut and Dazzler also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; one mile. Petie, 103 pounds (Pichon), $5.40, $3.80, first; Talequa, 103 (Johnson), $4, $3.60, second; Lucy Kate, 110 (Hurn), $5.60, third. Time—1:41. Rodeo, Jupiter, Running Fox, Briggs Buchanan, Moon Magic and Romp also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; one and one-eighth miles. Ocean Current, 108 pounds (Johnson), $27, $11.40, $4.80, first; The Poet, 100 (Mortensen), $5.60, $2.80, second; Bolivar Bond, 105 (Tyler), $3.40, third. Time—1:53 1-5. Watchful, Firetoma, Guelph and Squarson also ran.

Weather clear; track fast.

Duke Kahanamoku Honored For Helping Rescue Twelve

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 25 (AP).—As reward for rescuing twelve persons when a fishing launch capsized in the entrance to Newport Bay last Summer, Duke Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian swimmer, and Gerard Vultee and Owen Hale of Southern California, were presented with gold watches yesterday by the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

GLIDING FOX ROMPS HOME AT HAVANA

Harned Brothers' Filly Takes Measure of Winnipeg in Christmas Handicap.

HAVANA, Dec. 25.—Despite the cloudy weather here, a large holiday crowd thronged the Oriental Park course today. In keeping with the holiday atmosphere, a program of eight good races was run off, the feature being the sixth, the Christmas Handicap, valued at $1,200. The sultry humidity failed to help the track to any great extent, with the result that the going was still soggy in spots from the recent rains.

Gliding Fox, racing in the colors of Harned Brothers, was the winner of the Christmas Handicap. It was the filly's third straight victory and her triumph was clean cut and decisive. She dominated the running throughout the six-furlong distance and at the end had something in reserve.

Winnipeg, prominent from the rise of the webbing, raced kindly, but came very wide entering the homestretch, losing a lot of ground, which did not matter seriously, as the winner seemed to have plenty in reserve should any emergency have arisen. Pegasus, the top weight of the lot, ran a creditable race to take third.

Starter Dean sent the field away to a fast start in the fourth race. Little Bat, racing for the Hialeah Stable, made her score for the meeting three in a row, being the first to accomplish this task here to date. Sporri, who had the mount, quickly raced Little Bat into second position going down the back stretch. Rounding the turn, Little Bat opened up a six lengths lead and it looked as if the filly would romp away from her field, but she began to tire from her early effort. She was ridden to the limit to win. Solomon's Kilts gathered in the place money. Vodka, the early leader, just got up to show.

Oil Lady, secoond choice in the wagering, accounted for the opening number in a hard drive over Uncle Abe, getting to the front on reaching the furlong pole and kept her head in front for the remainder of the trip. Uncle Abe was quickest to get under way. Allen saved ground wherever possible. Entering the homestretch his mount shortened stride, but fought it out gamely to the end. Jacobean came fast through the stretch to gather the minor award.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Oil Lady, 106 pounds (McDonald), 8 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, first; Uncle Abe, 115 (Allen), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second; Jacobean, 107 (McGinnis), 7 to 5, third. Time—1:13 3-5. Double Van, Roberto O. and Easter Light also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Quota, 110 pounds (Parker), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, first; Salvage, 110 (Hunt), even, 2 to 5, second; Humpy, 113 (Gordon), 7 to 5, third. Time—1:13 2-5. Zigzag, Winnie O'Wynn, The Coyote and The Almoner also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; five and one-half furlongs. Kimax, 110 pounds (Gordon), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 7 to 10, first; Wise Guy, 113 (Sporri), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second; Execution, 108 (Habjan), 1 to 2, third. Time—1:13. Receiver, Margaret E. Hope, Bob, Ponce and Davelle also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Little Bat, 109 pounds (Sporri), 5 to 2, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, first; Solomon's Kilts, 112 (Allen), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Vodka, 109 (Mills), even, third. Time—1:13 4-5. Lydia Drew, Lady Ione, Hun Conaway and Spontaneous also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For two-year-olds; The Quinta Bastien; purse $600; five and a half furlongs. Gentry, 101 pounds (Holbert), 6 to 5, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, first; Trapeze, 104 (McGinnis), 1 to 2, 1 to 4, second; Barracks, 104 (Fisher), 1 to 2, third. Time—1:13 2-5. Little Trump, Bonnie Castle, Dr. Carl, Alsto and Canuck also ran.

SIXTH RACE—The Christmas Handicap; purse $1,200; for all ages; six furlongs. Gliding Fox, 113 pounds (Gevings), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, first; Winnipeg, 107 (Accardy), 6 to 1, 3 to 1, second; Pegasus, 116 (Sporri), 1 to 2, third. Time—1:17 3-5. Randal's Royal, Heltican, Grand Bey, Spanish Rose, Lieut. Farrell, Maximac and Be Good also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; mile and fifty yards. Rib Grass, 108 pounds (Berry), 5-2, 4-5, 1-3, first; Evening Star, 106 (Murphy), 6-5, 1-2, second; Waywassamo, 108 (McGinnis), 1-5, third. Time—1:50 1-5. Gordon Shaw, Crestwood Boy and Rinkavous also ran.

EIGHTH RACE—For three-year-olds; claiming; purse $700; mile and fifty yards. Clear View, 113 pounds (Fisher), 7-2, even, 2-5, first; Son of Tromp, 103 (Holbert), 7-10, 1-3, second; Dave Goldie, 110 (Allen), 1-4, third. Time—1:50 1-5. Mighty, Mad Boy and Air Castle also ran.

Weather clear; track slow.

New Orleans Entries.

FIRST RACE—One mile; all ages; maidens; claiming; purse $700. Bally Nuisance 103 pounds, *Spandor 103, Geisha Girl 105, *Indian Tales 103, *Nereid 100, Dr. Larrabee 108, *Master Blue 118, White Shepherdess 105, Manifold 118, Little Moon 105.

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800. Ebb Tide 113 pounds, *Duckling 104, Purity 116, Revellion 112, *Drummond 111, *Overtake 111, *Dustproof 111, *Wild Bill 107, *Yirba 100, *Rocking 104, *Mainspring 107, *Bucko 112, *Attilia 104, *Martha Moore 108, *Lugs 107, *Little Betty 100, *Dr. F. T. Adams 103.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700. Naughty Nisba 107 pounds, John Q. Kelly 112, *Soldier 2d 110, Time's Up 104, Single 103, *Spats 110, St. Donard 107, Waratah 107, Freedom's Call 112, *Settee 107.

FOURTH RACE—The Biloxi Claiming Handicap; purse $800; for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Lawless 104 pounds, Caligula 114, Ball Gee 115, Batsman 112, Pettibocker 107, Cream Puff 106, Parole 2d 102.

FIFTH RACE—The De Soto Handicap; purse $2,000; for two-year-olds; one mile. Eric 110 pounds; Golden Mac 107, Kyrock 109, *Anchester 101, Ferrash 101, Plain Dealer 102, Harry Carroll 100, Tiff 105, Smiling Gus 102.

SIXTH RACE—The Thibodeaux Purse of $1,000; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile. Scratch 110 pounds, Prince of Umbria 105, aWaterflag 99, Captain Haney 105, a Orpheus 105, Emissary 107, Washington 110.

a G. F. Creissant entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming; purse $800; for three-year-olds and upward; mile and one sixteenth. Wilkes-Barre 110 pounds; *Edward Gray 102, Fiery Flight 111, Ten Sixty 108, *Levoy 108, *Treasurer 112, Dentaria 109, *Tony Beau 105, *Sword 105, Martingale 108.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

TIJUANA FEATURE TO MISS THATCHER

Filly Takes the Christmas in Easy Fashion to Reward Form Players.

MOONRAKER ALSO SCORES

Holds Off Cherry Tree and Wins St. Nicholas Handicap by Margin of a Length.

Special to The New York Times.

TIJAUNA, Mex., Dec. 25.—Carrying the colors of the Nevada Stock Farm in commanding style, Miss Thatcher, fleet daughter of Star Master and Polistena, romped home an easy victor this afternoon in the sixth running of the Christmas Handicap, which featured the holiday card of tht Tijauna Jockey Club. Carrying top weight of 118 pounds in a field of ten two-year-olds, Miss Thatcher held sway from flagfall to winning post and ran the six furlongs in 1:13 1-5. Schaefer was in the pilot's seat and brought the filly home with a margin of, two lengths. It was her second straight victory here and she earned $2,240 for her owner. Miss Thatcher was the 7-to-10 public choice and paid her numerous followers $3.40 for each $2 ticket in the mutuels.

Miss Thatcher was one of three favorites that rewarded their backers by coming first to the wire. Two odds-on first choices went down to defeat. The track was fast and fine weather brought out a big holiday crowd.

Miss Thatcher hadn't been out of the money in her last eight starts in various parts of the continent and was altogether the class of the juveniles that paraded for the afternoon feature. She lived up to expectations. Schaefer got her away well from the post position on the inner rail and raced down Booze Beyer in the first quarter mile. Thereafter she was never extended and came home an easy winner.

Stardale Takes the Place.

Stardale, J. M. Collins's Ormondale colt, making his fourth start, carried off second money. He was a factor from the rise of the barrier and was easily the best of the others, coming home two lengths in front of H. G. McConnell's Jack Alexander, which made a game finish.

Only five came to the post for the St. Nicholas Handicap, a gallop of a mile and seventy yards for three-year-olds and upward, in which Cherry Tree, B. Long's six-year-old horse was the 7-to-10 favorite. The son of Broomstick and Cerise was beaten a length, however, in a driving finish by La Brea Stable's Moonraker, the five-year-old castoff from the Greentree Stable. The winner was an equal second choice and paid his backers $9.40 for a $2 ticket in the machines.

J. Bennett's three-year-old colt Vasquez essayed to show the way to his field, only to weaken in the final furlong and finish out of the money. Lizette, Mrs. C. B. Irwin's Star Hawk mare, then took up the running, but could not withstand the successive challenges of Moonraker and Cherry Tree and was forced to take third money.

Moonraker Under Wraps.

Jockey J. Smith had Moonraker under wraps during the early part of the race, nicely berthed in third position. He came on when called upon and had enough to hold off Cherry Tree in the drive to the wire. Cherry Tree was blocked off when Roberts attempted to send him through an opening turning out of the back stretch. He was taken around on the outside and finished full of run. The race was run in the very fast time of 1:42 3-5.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares; allowances; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Miss Caltha, 112 pounds (Wallace), $19, $11.60, $7.60, first; Lady Abbott, 100 (Neal), $10.40 $6, second; Porter Ella, 103 (Whittacre), $11.20, third. Time—1:08. Miss Omond, Laura Gaffney, Cuba, Llauimp, Combustion, Lady Tiptoe, Julia Lee, Miss Emma G. and Mary Dear also ran.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and one-eighth. Bowsprit, 106 pounds (Buck), $46, $12, $7.80, first; War Zone, 111 (Baker), $3.40, $2.80, second; Smiling, 106 (Wallis), $3.60, third. Time—1:55. Pop Ryan, Flow Steel, Missouri Boy, Old Faithful, Hal Wright, Montona and Malvern also ran.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and seventy yards. Praiseworthy, 113 pounds (Elston), $6.80, $3.60, $3.40, first; Quecreek, 101 (Huntamer), $4.20, $3.40, second; Cote d'Or, 111 (Renn), $3.60, third. Time—1:46 2-5. Cadmus, Hackamore, Reel Foot, Mint Julep, Wracklane, Encrinite and Pie also ran.

FOURTH RACE—For all ages; claiming; purse $700; five and one-half furlongs. Hester Ann, 108 pounds (Kelsey), $4.20, $2.80, $2.20, first; Dew Bank, 102 (Pendergrass), $4, $2.80, second; Cuernavaca, 108 (Wallis), $2.60, third. Time—1:07 3-5. Kamehameha, Insurrector, Saucy Miss, Bank Jr., Runamor and Marie K. also ran.

FIFTH RACE—For three-year olds and upward; the St. Nicholas Handicap; purse $1,200; one mile and seventy yards. Moonraker, 109 pounds (J. Smith), $9.40, $3.20, $2.40, first; Cherry Tree, 117 (Roberts), $2.60, $2.20, second; Lizette, 97 (Edwards), $2.20, third. Time—1:42 3-5. Vasquez and Minstrel Boy also ran.

SIXTH RACE—For two-year-olds; sixth running of the Christmas Handicap; $3,000 added; six furlongs. Miss Thatcher, 118 pounds (Schaefer), $3.40, $3, $2.80, first; Stardale, 106 (Peternell), $16.80, $11.80, second; Jack Alexander, 104 (Crees), 06.80, third. Time—1:13 1-5. Light Carbine, Cross Bow, Sandy Man, Brazen, Booze Beyer, Dalcho and Foreman also ran.

SEVENTH RACE — For three-year-olds and upward; allowances; purse $800; clubhouse course. Marsdale, 107 pounds (Hexham), $14.60, $4, $3.20, first; Coffield, 101 (Wallis), $3, $2.40, second; Reap, 109 (Charles), $4.60, third. Time—1:35. Brother John, Six Pence, Queen Bess, San Carlos and Little Thistle also ran.

EIGHTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; five furlongs. Fort Churchill, 110 pounds (Munden), $7.60, $4.40, $3, first; Little Shasta, 101 (Edwards), $12.40, $5, second; Witticism, 110 (R. Jones), $5, third. Time—1:00 1-5. Bill McCloy, Tailteann, Subtle, Betty Maloney, Kosman, End Man, Mr. Ruby and Parnell Lad also ran.

Weather clear; track fast.

Havana Entries.

FIRST RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. The Almoner 109 pounds *Jim Daisy 107, *Solomon's Favor 109, *Day of Peace 107, *Corenne 101, Walter Dant 109.

SECOND RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $800; six furlongs. Colossus 112 pounds, *Lady George 104, Felicitous 105, Bray Annie 100, Decorative 108, Hun Conaway 107, Ambulance 103, *Swim 100.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $600; six furlongs. Laura Cochron 106 pounds, Confederacy 106, Knot Grass 109, *Searchlight III 104, Hutchison 109, *Double Van 104.

FOURTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; fillies and mares; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Della Robbia 108 pounds, *Star of Eve 98, *Rock of Ages 101, *Verbena 106, *Miss Babe 103, Shine On 104.

FIFTH RACE—For all ages; allowances; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Black Prince 112 pounds, Gliding Fox 109, Jouett 107, Havana Electric 115, Little Smoke 107, Milton 95, Theoden 107, Be Yourself 95, Attoo 110, Wildrake 110.

SIXTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. Lura 109 pounds, Invigorator 112, Chandelier 112, Flush Royal 112, Lagoon 109, Ella Wood 109, Caribe 109, *Zero 107.

SEVENTH RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. Leona Dare 106 pounds, Tis Seth 113, Weary Dick 109, *Modesta 104, Savoy 113, Cabin Creek 113, *Blowing Bubbles 102, *Polly Leighton 96, Avispa 107.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track slow.

Thunberg to Skate for U. S. Outdoor Title; Meet Shifted From Chicago to Binghamton

Arrangements have been made for Clas Thunberg, Finland's champion skater, to appear in the United States outdoor championships at Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 30 and 31, according to The Associated Press. The title meet was awarded to Binghamton after Chicago had reported its inability to stage the event for financial reasons.

Thunberg had his first outdoor workout in America at The Acres in Greenwich, Conn., Thursday and covered a mile in 2:35 2-5, wearing 15-inch skates. The Finn has been accustomed to 17-inch blades, but says that he feels at home with the new style. Five and three mile races for records have been arranged for him at Binghamton.

Officials who are in charge of the Middle Atlantic skating championships announced yesterday that Thunberg will take part in that event on Jan. 1 at Newburgh, N. Y. Among his rivals will be Charles Gorman of St. Johns, N. B., who represented Canada in the Olympics, and Valentine Bialis of Utica, who competed for the United States at Chamonix. Joe Moore of New York City won the title last year and is expected to defend it.

Miss Elsie Muller of New York, who carried away honors in the women's division last year, also will be present to defend her crown. Entries are coming in fast for the championships, officials state, and it is expected the fields in both the men's and women's events will be larger than ever before.

HOFF IN TWO EVENTS IN MILLROSE GAMES

Norwegian Star Eager to Show All-Around Ability in Garden Meet on Feb. 4.

Charley Hoff, Norway's athletic star, who holds the world's pole vault record of 13 feet 11⅜ inches, has no apprehensions on he prospect of climatic conditions interfering with his participation in the nineteenth annual indoor athletic meet of the Millrose A. A., to be held in Madison Square Garden on Feb. 4. This is indicated in an announcement by the Millrose officials to the effect that the Games Committee of the organization was compelled to exercise its discretion in assigning the events for the Norwegian.

Hoff wanted to enter three tests. He sought permission to compete in the pole vault, in the Millrose 600, and in the international relay race, three of the outstanding events on a card which, like other Millrose programs which have gone before it, promises to make athletic history.

Rather than run the risk of having the athlete undertake too serious a schedule for one night, however, the Wanamaker club authorities decided to limit Hoff's activities to two events. He will compete in the pole vault and in one running race, but whether the track test will be the renewal of the Millrose 600 or the international relay has not yet been determined.

Will Strive for Vault Record.

Hoff is actuated in his desire to undertake several competitions at the Millrose meet by a desire to demonstrate his athletic versatility. He is recognized as one of the greatest all-around athletes in the world. His best time of 1:14 for the middle-distance test makes it probable he will be permitted to start in the Millrose 600, rather than the relay test.

Every effort will be made to extend Hoff to a record flight in the pole vault. He is to oppose the best vaulting material available, including a Dartmouth vaulter yet to be named by Coach Harry Hillman. The Hanover coach has two lads capable of clearing between 12 feet 6 inches and 12 feet 9 inches and intends to select the athlete who shows the best ability in training. An invitation to compete in this event has been extended to Lee Barnes, Californian, through Bob Weaver, Amateur Athletic Union official of the Pacific Coast. Another vaulter will be selected and his identity disclosed later, rounding out a field of four competitors.

Unusual interest is expected to be manifest in the sprint series, which will be another event of international significance on the attractive program. This event will be run in heats at 40 and 60 yards and if a third heat is necessary, a 50-yard sprint will be conducted. The winner will be determined on a point system, points being distributed four for first in each heat, three for second, two for third and one for fourth.

Houben to Make Debut.

The sprinting feature will witness the local début of Hubert Houben, German star, who boasts of having beaten Charley Paddock and Loren Murchison during the visit of the American stars in Germany. It is expected that Frank Hussey, national sprint champion; Murchison, indoor record holder, and De Hart Hubbard, Western Conference titleholder, will toe the scratch against Houben in the dashes.

Particular pains are being taken with the construction of the special banked track which will be used for the meet, in view of the importance and significance of the sprints. It is understood the track will be so constructed that the opening at one end can be divided, thus permitting the sprinters to start nearer the end of the hall and finish nearer the centre than was possible in the old Garden in past years.

It is not expected that his first experience with the short indoor running spikes will interfere to any serious extent with the running of Houben, who has never engaged in indoor competition. The German sprinter, known as a fast man off the mark, is expected to be particularly dangerous to his American rivals in the forty-yard dash, although Murchison, Hubbard and Hussey also are noted for their ability to get under way fast.

Tijuana Entries.

FIRST RACE—All ages; claiming; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Kinetic 113 pounds, Olympian King 108, Leonard Thomas 113, Rapid Traveler 108, Go[illegible] Crump 113, Dan Hogan 113, Recruit 108, *Philippe Lugo 108, Chief Archee 113, *Marse John 108, *No Wonder 108, Pat Carter 113, Fireplace 113, *Lucky Cat 108, General Fryer 113, *Laura Gaffney 108, *Louvain 108.

SECOND RACE—For two-year-olds; maidens; claiming; purse $700; five furlongs. *Betty O'Brien 107 pounds, Billy Buck 110, Single Dale 103, †Ray Reese 110, †Irish King 107, *Cordovan 99, Blue Canyon 107, *Ellen Norberg 99, All Mum 104, Shasta Sol 104, *Day Time 102, *Aggie A. 99, Assent 99, China Rose 103, *Marvelite 99, *Waltee 99, Hard Dealer 107. †Allen Bros. entry.

THIRD RACE—For three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and seventy yards. Dumbfounder 109 pounds, *Gratian 104, Alamour 105, Captain Mac 105, Breeze 101, Black Thong 101, *Sea Wrack 96, *Fiesta 96, *McCadden 95, *Hence 104.

FOURTH RACE—All ages; claiming; purse $700; four and a half furlongs. Dick Terpin 113 pounds, *Golden Red 110, Little Less 115, Horace Lerch 11[illegible], My Friend Pat 115, *Midnight Bell 105, *Bronco Girl 97, Lady Tiptoe 110, *Skoki 105, *Forbidden 100, Shasta Limited 115.

FIFTH RACE—All ages; purse $700; five and a half furlongs. Master Crump 114 pounds, Sunnyland 116, Rare Grit 100, Runclar 119, Clinch 116, M. J. McNulty Jr. 114, Shasta Box 106.

SIXTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $1,000; one mile and seventy yards. *†Marsdale 94 pounds, *Dominique 106, ‡Billy Todd 102, †Herby Coles 98, ‡Pathan 107, Ruban Rouge 116, *The World 110, Normana 104. †Irby entry. ‡Mission Hills Farm entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile and a sixteenth. *Hands Up 101 pounds, El Cid 101, St. Martins 108, Bright Idea 104, *Zealot 101, *Solimente 96; Rallim 109.

EIGHTH RACE—Three-year-olds and upward; claiming; purse $700; one mile. *Bryndear 105 pounds, *Ballynew 107, Sophia Goldman 100, *Perhaps 110, Whiff 110, *Tom Craven 104, Chilliwack 104, *Notenough 107, Quoin 107.

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather clear; track fast.

NEWTOWN RECEIVES P. S. A. L. GOLF TITLE

Second Protest by Evander Childs Team Disallowed—Ice Tourney Arranged.

The Public Schools Athletic League's Fall golf championship has been awarded to Newtown High School, it became known yesterday when the minutes of the last P. S. A. L. meeting were made public. Thus a much-protested scholastic sport title is disposed of. The decision to declare Newtown the champions followed the rejection of the protest entered by Evander Childs High School, following the playing of the final match in the tournament.

The protest was the second received by Chairman Jack Cohen of the Golf Committee from the Evander Childs School. The first protest was allowed and a replay of the final title match was ordered. When Evander Childs protested the replay Chairman A. L. Fish of the High Schools Games Committee requested Chairman Cohen for a complete report on the second protested match and at the same time requested statements from Evander Childs and Newtown. The High Schools Games Committee, after hearing the explanations, decided by a vote of 17 to 1 to disallow the Evander Childs protest on the replay and the recommendation to recognize Newtown as golf champions was carried.

At the meeting another resolution was adopted which will preclude decisions by individual committees in the future until the principals involved have had a chance to be heard. This resolution provides "that no committee shall render a decision on a protested match until the schools involved are given an opportunity for a hearing."

In response to a suggestion from the Brooklyn Ice Palace for a scholastic ice skating meet, the committee extended the scope of the Hockey Committee to include ice skating and arrangements now are under way for a skating tournament. In connection with scholastic ice sports, it was announced that 5,000 tickets for the intercollegiate ice hockey matches, to be held in Madison Square Garden on Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings, have been distributed among local high school boys and girls, with the information that in addition to having the privileges of witnessing the intercollegiate hockey competition, the students will be allowed the use of the ice after the games for skating purposes, under a new arrangement at the Garden.

LAUREL STUD NAMES TIJUANA ENTRIES

Nominations Are Made for the Coffroth Handicap, Cup, Derby and Other Stakes.

The Laurel Park Stud Company, composed of a group of prominent American, Canadian and English sportsmen and breeders, of whom John McE. Bowman and Commander J. K. L. Ross are most prominent members, has made many important nominations for the big stakes of the Tijuana Jockey Club which will be renewed during the present meeting. Laurel Park nominations have been made for the Coffroth Handicap, the Tijuana Cup, the Tijuana Derby and lesser stakes. The Coffroth is worth about $85,000 gross and the Cup and the Derby about $20,000 each.

For two years the Laurel Park Stud has been importing selected representatives from the best thoroughbred blood strains of Great Britain and Ireland and all of the nominees are such importations or by foreign horses. Yearlings, two-year-olds and older horses have been imported for flat racing and steeplechasing.

The eight horses which have been named are being brought to Tijuana by A. G. Blakely and are Prince Charming, Market Basket, Grenier, Cotlogomar, Scamp, Honk, The Puritan 3d and Orestes. The first five named are for the Coffroth and the Tijuana Cup races, gallops of a mile and a quarter and two miles respectively. The last three are named for the Derby, which is at a mile and a furlong.

All of the horses are English bred and four of them are 3 years old, coming 4; three 2 years old, coming 3, and one a six-year-old. Scamp, a bay son of Son-in-Law and Campanile is the six-year-old. The breeding of the nominees for the Coffroth and the Tijuana Cup is as follows: Prince Charming by Teddy and Sweet Agnes, Market Basket by Roi Herode and White Market, Grenier by Sir Douglas and Mabel Capps, Cotlogomar by Sardanapale and Soda.

WOULD WRESTLE STECHER.

Poddubny Willing to Forego Purse in Order to Get Match.

A proposition to wrestle Joe Stecher, recognized world's heavyweight wrestling champion, for the title, on an arrangement whereby if his challenger wins he will not receive a penny, was announced yesterday on behalf of Ivan Poddubny, giant Russian grappler. Poddubny asks only money enough to defray his training expenses.

The Russian grappler is to tackle Angelo Taramaschi, Italian heavyweight, in a finish bout as the feature of the Campania A. C.'s wrestling carnival Monday night in the Seventy-first Regiment Armory.

In another finish match Giorgio Calza, Italian heavyweight, will oppose Frank Judson. Hans Steinke, German, has been matched against Dan Koloff and in a fourth match Able Kaplan will engage Joe Varga.

Crescents Face McGill Five Next.

The Crescent A. C. basketball team, which has won seven games in a row, will face the McGill University quintet on the New Moon court in Brooklyn on Monday night and will meet the Tufts College five on the same court on Wednesday night.

LOUGHRAN VICTOR OVER KING SOLOMON

Completely Outclasses Panama Heavyweight in Ten Rounds in Philadelphia Bout.

ROCKY SMITH ALSO WINS

Takes Decision From Bobby Marritt in Semi-Final—Eddie Leonard Triumphs Over Wexler.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25 (AP).—Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia won the judges' decision over King Solomon, Panama heavyweight, in a ten-round bout here today.

Although he scaled 190½, outweighing Loughran by sixteen pounds, Solomon was completely outclassed. He landed hardly a clean blow up to the tenth round, when in a free-hitting exchange he jolted the Philadelphian with body punches.

Loughran won every round by superior boxing, but lacked the power to stagger Solomon. However, he opened cuts over both the Panama boxer's eyes in the first two rounds and kept them bleeding all through the fight.

In another ten-round bout, Rocky Smith, Battle Creek, Mich., 161½ pounds, won the judges' decision over Bobby Marritt of Baltimore, 158 pounds.

In the three six-round preliminaries Eddie Leonard, Baltimore, 115 pounds, won the decision from Manny Wexler, New York, 112 pounds; George Siddons, Philadelphia, 131 pounds, defeated Charles Barber, Baltimore, 133 pounds, on a decision and Vincent Lopez, Philadelphia, 157 pounds, won the judges' decision over Billy Conley, California, 159 pounds.

WELLS AND DUDLEY TO FIGHT TONIGHT

British Welter to Meet Coast Negro at Commonwealth—Other Bouts Scheduled.

An international battle will be the principal ring attraction tonight at the Commonwealth Sporting Club in Harlem. The principals will be Bermondsey Billy Wells, England's clever welterweight, and Harry Dudley, California negro, who has established himself in his bouts since coming East. They are scheduled for ten rounds, as the stellar attraction on a card which holds two other ten-round matches and a four-round encounter. It will be a battle between a clever boxer and a two-fisted fighter. Wells is the clever type, while Dudley likes to mix with an opponent.

In the ten-round semi-final Matchmaker Ed McMahon has paired Willie Powell, Harlem lad who once starred as an amateur, and Irwin Bige, California lightweight. The first ten-round event will bring together Jimmy Sakamoto, Japanese featherweight, and Bill Wiley of Yorkville. In the four-round bout Ray Shaara, Jersey City, will tackle Ralph Cohen of the east side.

A six-round bout between Nat Pincus, Brooklyn favorite, and Benny Hall, St. Louis bantamweight, will be the feature offering tonight at the Ridgewood Grove S. C., Brooklyn. In four other six-round matches the principals will be Irving Shapiro vs. Charley Rose, Johnny Pincus vs. Nick DeSalvo, Harry Mulcahy vs. Jimmy Clayton and Harry Ebbetts vs. Ken Day.

Alex Toveriski and Tony Palmer are to furnish the action in the main bout of eight rounds tonight at the Fourteenth Regiment Armory, Brooklyn. In the eight-round semi-final Sandy Taylor will tackle Johnny Ryan. A third eight-round bout will be between Jimmy Kelly and Georgie Muigna.

GATES OUTPOINTS WARD.

Indian Heavyweight Leads in All but One Round at Portland.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 25 (AP).—Leo Gates, Indian heavyweight of Adams, Mass., scored a clean-cut victory over Jack Ward, negro, of Montreal, at the Arena this afternoon in a bout that was replete with action. Although the newspapermen gave only one round of the twelve to Ward, the latter fought hard all the way, but was outguessed, outpunched and outpointed. Elzear Rioux of Montreal knocked out Yussell Pearlstein of New York in the second round of the semi-final. This pair also are heavyweights.

Tommy Fleurant of Biddeford won impressively over Jimmy (Kid) Rice of Portland in the main event at the Exposition Building, scoring four knockdowns. Harry Goldstein of Boston, claimant of the New England flyweight title, bested Tommy Lemieux of Saco, the Maine champion, in a fast bout, registering one knockdown.

DOYLE WINS; CROWD BOOS.

Disapproval Greets Judges' Verdict Against Willie Harmon.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 25 (AP).—Paul Doyle, Brooklyn welterweight, got a judges' decision over Willie Harmon of New York in a hard-fought ten-round bout here this afternoon. The decision was received with boos by the crowd. Harmon weighed 144 pounds and Doyle 142½.

PINEHURST GOLF TODAY.

Met. Players Listed Among Entries for Midwinter Play.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 25.—The midwinter golf tournament starts on the links here tomorrow with several score entries. This tournament was won lost year by Ducky Yates of Rochester. The qualifying round was won by 15-year-old George T. Dunlap Jr. of Englewood, N. J., who is again an entry this year.

Other metropolitan district entries besides Dunlap include William Cavanaugh, Westchester Hills; George T. Dunlap Sr., Englewood; T. R. Rudel Princeton; A. L. Sands, New York; G. S. Watrhouse, Ardsley; Winthrop Williams, New York; C. R. Gillette, Wykagyl; W. W. Lyon, Westchester Hills; P. S. Maclaughlin, Jersey City; John D. Chapman, Greenwich; Morton L. Fearey, Garden City; Sheppard and Eugene Homans, Englewood; Percy H. Jennings, Garden City; W. W. Peabody, Deal; W. H. Watt, Essex County, and others.

List Open Events for Schools.

Seven events open to public and private high schools of the city are included on the program for the twelfth annual indoor interscholastic track meet of De La Salle Institute to be held in the 102d Engineers Regiment Armory, on the afternoon of Jan. 9.

Montreal Six Plans Tour Of England and France

MONTREAL, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Montreal Maroons are arranging to tour Great Britain and France with another National League hockey team after the present season, playing exhibition games in the principal cities of the two countries. The Maroon management announced that the Pittsburgh Pirates would probably join in the trip.

NEW YORK PRO SIX READY FOR PIRATES

Will Meet Pittsburgh Team in National League Game in Garden Tonight.

New York's professional hockey team will go into action on the Garden ice tonight against the Pittsburgh Pirates in a National League game with every man in fine condition. It was announced yesterday that Shorty Green, Charlie Langlois and Crutchy Morrison, who have been on the injured list, are in top form again and will be ready to play their typical fast game. The match will start at 8:30 tonight.

The Pirates will arrive in the city this morning and will go to the Garden to try out the ice and hold a practice session. When the invaders have left the rink, the New York Americans will hold a light drill. The team is ready for the fray and will be on the ice only long enough to limber up and to get the passing game working smoothly.

So far the Americans and Pirates have met twice in league games, dividing the honors. Strangely, the margin of victory each time has been one point. New York officials are confident that the match tonight will result in a New York victory as the team play is much better than it has been in the last few weeks and the men are fit for the fray. In their last game they took the measure of the Boston Bruins with only a makeshift sextet on the ice. With the full complement of stars available, officials are confident, the Americans will score another victory.

The Pirates will not prove easy for the Americans as they have a fast team, pass well, and are experts at effective checking. Their star is Lionel Conacher who comes from Toronto. He is well known in the Dominion for his all-around athletic ability, being a football, lacrosse and baseball player. This is his first season in the big league, but he already had won his spurs in Dominion play and is setting a fast pace for his Pirate mates to follow.

Injuries and lack of practice handicapped the Americans from the start of the season and as a result they fell in the standing until they were tied for the cellar position. Their worst lapse was the losing of four games in a row, but now that the full line-up is available and not a few good practice sessions have been held, the team play has improved to a marked degree and it appears the Americans have found their stride at last.

The majority of the team's games for the next few weeks will be on the home rink in the Garden and as the ice will be available for practice almost every day, Manager Gorman is certain a polished and fast attack will be worked up that will carry the New Yorkers to the head of the standing. The Americans have not been able to get any daily practice since the league season opened and this counted heavily against them, but with better conditions now, their backers are certain the sextet will fly to the front.

The probable line-up for tonight's match:

NEW YORK.		PITTSBURGH.
Forbes	G.	Worters
Randall	R.D.	Smith
Langlois	L.D.	Conacher
Burch	C.	Milks
S. Green	R.W.	McCurry
R. Green	L.W.	Darragh

HANDBALL STARS TO PLAY.

Will Stage Exhibitions at Dedication of Nassau Courts Tomorrow.

Some of the greatest handball players of the district are scheduled to compete in a series of matches tomorrow on the occasion of the dedication of the new handball courts of the Nassau oBat Club. The matches will begin at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

In doubles Joe Ruddy and Cy Regan, crack New York A. C. pair, will engage Jack McGuire and Pat McDonough of the Pastime A. C., and William Sakman and J. Lennon, Trinity Club, will engage J. Broderick and J. Neenan of the Pastime A. C. Another doubles match will witness the New York A. C. combination of Ripley and O'Brien against DeWitt and Brady of the Nassau Boat Club.

TITLE SWIM BLANKS OUT.

Three Other Events Also Listed for N. Y. A. C. Carnival on Jan. 13.

The Metropolitan A. A. U. 50-yard free-style swim championship is the feature event on the aquatic card arranged for the New York A. C.'s pool on Jan. 13. Entry blanks for the carnival were distributed yesterday among local organizations.

Four events are carded, including the title swim. The other events are: 200-yard breaststroke swim, sealed handicap; 100-yard handicap swim and a handicap fancy diving contest from a ten-foot board. Entries for the meet will close Jan. 8 with Paul Pilgrim at the New York A. C.

HARRISBURG BUYS KEATING.

Manager Johnson Also Announces Trading Catcher Tickey.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—Purchase of Walter Keating, shortstop, from the Binghampton club of the New York-Pennsylvania Baseball League, was announced here today by A. Rankin Johnson, manager of the Harrisburg club. At the same time manager Johnson announced he had traded Edward Tickey, catcher, to the Wilkes-barre club for Mike Gibson, who caught for the team last season.

18 Events at Artillery Meet.

A program of eighteen events has been arranged for the indoor athletic meet to be held by the 245th Coast Artillery, Brooklyn, the old Thirteenth Regiment, in the outfit's drill shed on the night of Jan. [illegible]. Thirteen of the events will be closed to members of the regiment.

Canadian Champion Held to Draw.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 25 (AP).—Ralph Repman of Yorkhaven, who is scheduled to meet Newport Johnny Brown, Canadian bantamweight champion, on Jan. 18, was held to a draw today by Jimmie Burns of Atlantic City. Burns substituted for Chick Kansas of Philadelphia.

MIDWEST COLLEGES PLAN ICE LEAGUE

20 Institutions' Representatives to Meet in January to Organize Hockey.

MINNESOTA LEADS MOVE

Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, Indiana and North Dakota Schools Join in Project.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 25 (AP).—A new intercollegiate hockey league made up of schools in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, North Dakota and Iowa is expected to be organized in January when representatives of twenty institutions meet at the University of Minnesota here.

Athletic Director Luehrin announced today the Minnesota athletic department is sponsoring organization under guidance of Emil Iverson, Minnesota hockey coach. At present schools supporting hockey teams in this area are operating on a free-lance basis.

The new loop will not follow the geographical limits of the Western Conference, Coach Iverson said, inasmuch as several of the Big Ten schools do not include the game in their repertoire of intercollegiate sports. It will be the aim of the league to include as many Big Ten schools as possible.

If the organization of the league is completed it will not begin functioning on a schedule making basis until 1927, as most 1926 ice bookings have been arranged.

KENNEDY ROUNDING IN FORM FOR GLICK

130-Pounders to Clash in Arena Monday—Mascart Also on Card—Other Ring News.

Realizing that a victory will place him in the front ranks of the country's junior lightweights, Billy Kennedy, clever New Orleans boxer, is reported in strict training for his twelve-round battle Monday night against Joe Glick, Brooklyn idol, at the New Broadway Arena. This contest is the main attraction on a card arranged by Promoter Ben Feinberg with especial attention to the fighting qualities of the principals. Feinberg has paired Edouard Mascart, French featherweight, and Charlie Goodman, Brooklyn lad who knocked out Carl Tremaine, in the second twelve-round encounter. Two six-round bouts complete the card.

Glick will enter the ring a favorite over Kennedy and on form the Brooklyn lad figures to win by a clear margin. The Crescent City boxer, however, has demonstrated in previous encounters here that he is a dangerous rival and, satisfied that he is enjoying better condition than for the past several months, is confident he will furnish something of a surprise to Glick. The Brooklyn boxer is on the road to a match for the junior lightweight title and a setback at this time would undo all the good work Glick has accomplished in his recent bouts, as he established himself as a contender worthy of consideration in the 130-pound division.

The Mascart-Goodman duel promises a spectacular scrap. Each boxer is of the aggressive, slugging type and each is reported in tip-top shape. In a special six-round bout Mickey D[illegible]ano of the Bushwick section of Brooklyn will oppose Billy Kelly, Scranton lad. Milton Cohen of the East Side and Harry Brandon, East New Yorker, have been paired for another six-round battle.

Unusual interest is reported in East Side boxing circles in the bout between Harry Felix and Sammy Vogel, which is to be held Monday night at the Uptown Lenox Sports Club. The contest is scheduled for ten rounds. Felix, a stablemate of Sid Terris, is a favorite of East Side fight followers and is expected to outbox Vogel, who comes from Harlem. A slugging match is promised as the ten-round semi-final in which Scotty Williams will face Nick Quagarelli. Sid Burt of the Bronx and Milton Weiss, Harlem welterweight, are to clash in the third ten-round bout.

In a letter received yesterday, Billy Henry, Chicago featherweight, who in his day engaged such battlers as Sid Terris, Sammy Mandell, Mike Dundee, Mike Ballerino, Eddie Anderson and a host of other good boxers, announces his retirement from the ring to enter a law school. At the same time Henry denied it was he who served as sparring partner for Babe Herman when the latter was training for the bout with Louis (Kid) Kaplan.

Following its plan to avoid conflicting with the holidays, the 102d Medical Regiment Armory, which ordinarily holds its weekly boxing shows on Thursday nights, will again transfer its fight date to Monday night next week. A card of three eight-round matches has been arranged, as follows: Barney Shaw vs. Charley McCain; Richie Martin vs. Bobby Wagner; Sailor Grande vs. George Cuneo.

Fred Ullman and Bob Irwin will clash in a return bout as the ten-round feature attraction Tuesday night at the 102d Engineers Regiment Armory. In their previous encounter Ullman stopped Irwin. Nick Mercer and Frankie Houlihan, have been matched for the semi-final of eight rounds.

IOWA STATE GETS GAME.

Football Team Will Play California, Southern Branch, on Nov. 27.

Arrangements have finally been completed for the Iowa State and University of California, Southern Branch, football classic to be played in the Municipal Stadium, Los Angeles, on Nov. 27, completing the schedule of the Cyclones for next season. Eight games have been scheduled, seven of them Missouri Valley Conference clashes. The game was originally booked for Thanksgiving Day, but owing to the inability of the California eleven to secure the stadium, the changed date was fixed upon, after Iowa had secured the permission of other Missouri Conference colleges for an intersectional contest after Thanksgiving Day.

The California eleven is coached by Bill Spaulding, former Minnesota coach, where he came in contact with Iowa State elevens coached by T. N. Metcalf and George Hauser, still in charge of the Cyclones.

The schedule:

Oct. 2, Washington at St. Louis; 9, Oklahoma Aggies at Iowa State; 16, Grinnell at Grinnell; 23, Missouri at Iowa State; 30, Nebraska at Lincoln.

Nov. 6, open; 13, Drake at Iowa State; 20, Kansas Aggies at Manhattan; 27, California Southern Branch, at Los Angeles.

Florida Sees Grange Lead Bears to a 7-0 Victory

GRANGE'S RUN WINS FLORIDA GAME, 7-0

Star Makes Only Touchdown for Bears at Coral Gables After a 33-Yard Dash.

NEARLY TALLIES A SECOND

Red Barron of Collegians Ends 45-Yard Sprint When Iceman Has Clear Field.

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Dec. 25 (AP).—Red Grange scored the only touchdown in a football game here today between the Chicago Bears and the Coral Gables Collegians, giving his team a 7-to-0 victory.

The Galloping Ghost's lone touchdown came in the second period, when, after a 33-yard sprint around the end, he was given the ball on the 2-yard line, and in two attempts went through centre for the score.

Grange played three full quarters, and in the closing moments gave the crowd another thrill, racing 45 yards, and had eluded the Coral Gables safety man, when Red Barron, former Georgia Tech star, pulled him down.

The former Illinois flash carried the ball nine times during the game for a total of 98 yards' gain, with a 9-yard loss on two tries, leaving a net gain of 89 yards. Grange was on the side lines during the third period, but re-entered in the fourth.

The official attendance was announced as 8,200.

The line-up:

BEARS (7).		COLLEGIANS (0).
Hanny (Indiana)	L.E.	Berry (Lafayette)
Healy (Dartmouth)	L.T.	Behman (Dickinson)
Garvey (N. Dame)	L.G.	Spagna (Lehigh)
Trafton (N. Dame)	C.	Alexander (Syracuse)
McMillen (Illinois)	R.G.	Osborne (Penn St.)
Murray (W'consin)	R.T.	Parnell (Colgate)
Goebel (Michigan)	R.E.	Lowe (Lafayette)
Sternaman (Ill.)	Q.B.	Ernst (Lafayette)
Grange (Illinois)	L.H.	Latone (N. H.)
Walquist (Illinois)	R.H.	Flanagan (Pitt)
Knop (Illinois)	F.B.	McBride (Syracuse)

SCORE BY PERIODS.

Bears	0	7	0	0—7
Collegians	0	0	0	0—0

Substitution—Collegians: Barron (Georgia Tech) for Latone.

Referee—Smith, Navy. Umpire—Anderson, Notre Dame. Linesman—Edwards, Notre Dame. Field judge—Gilroy, Princeton.

Touchdown—Grange. Point after touchdown—Sternaman.

ALABAMA PLAYERS HOLD YULE PARTY

Christmas Tree and Gifts Cheer Football Team at Pasadena—Heat Slows Drill.

Special to The New York Times.

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 25.—Santa Claus came to see the members of the Alabama football party at the Huntington Hotel Thursday night in the person of Mr. Champ Pickens. A large, beautifully decorated Christmas tree was placed in the centre of the spacious lobby, and after dinner Thursday night the Southerners staged a real Christmas party.

There were gifts on the tree for every one, and Wallace Jr. and Frances Wade found that Santa had not forgotten them so far from home. After the party an informal reception was held for a number of Alabama and Southern people now living in Pasadena.

Mr. Jack Benefeld and his wife were present at the party. The members of the team spent a quiet Christmas today, staying near the hotel and a few going to Los Angeles and surrounding places of interest. The boys are enjoying themselves and do not seem to be worrying about the New Year's game.

Coach Wade took his charges out to Rose Bowl again this afternoon for a short workout, where they were besieged by a swarm of photographers and newspaper men. Secret practices are being held, but due to the effect the hot weather is having on the boys the time of practice is very short.

It was thought by Coach Wade that the climate of Pasadena and that of Tuscaloosa would be so similar that the boys would not feel the effects of the change, but the first practices have proved this to be an error. The excessive heat here had disastrous effects on one or two of the players and Barnes, halfback all but fainted after the first workout.

Alumni Group to Cross Continent.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 25 (AP).—Twenty-five Alabama alumni will leave tomorrow in a special car for the Alabama-Washington game at Pasadena, Cal., New Year's Day. They will travel by New Orleans and the Southern route and will return with the Alabama team.

Washington Eleven Is Idle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 25 (AP).—The University of Washington football team is resting today, but tomorrow will resume preparations for an attempted mopping up of the University of Alabama crimson tide at Pasadena on New Year's Day.

Yesterday Coach Enoch Bagshaw tried more changes in the line, but left his backfield intact, as he has in most practices for the post-season contest.

Les Sherman, who was knocked out in the scrimmage Wednesday, was not in his regular place at quarterback on the second team. He is expected out tomorrow however. Only tomorrow's and Monday's practices remain before the team leaves for Pasadena. Bagshaw has been favoring some of his best players in scrimmages rather than take chances of having them injured.

Only one workout will be given the team en route to the Southern city and only one practice will be ordered in the Rose Bowl before the players step on the gridiron for the actual contest. One respite from traveling will be afforded when the eleven reaches San Francisco.

While the Husky line-up for the New Year's Day game has not been fixed, it is likely that the backfield will remain unchanged, with George Guttormsen, Captain Elmer Tesreau, George Wilson and Harold Patton on the job when the whistle blows.

Bagshaw has been switching his line during scrimmages the last week, with several second string men fighting hard for places on the first team.

FOUR SOCCER GAMES TODAY.

But None of New York American League Teams Will Play at Home.

Four American Soccer League games are scheduled for this afternoon, but none of them will be played in New York. The Giants, the only local team to go into action, will play at New Bedford. In other matches, Fall River will compete at Philadelphia, Shawsheen will meet Bethlehem on the latter's field, and Providence will face Boston in the Hub City.

All three New York elevens will be in action tomorrow, with one match in Brooklyn and another in the Bronx. The Giants again will be away from home, facing Providence on the latter's oval. In the Brooklyn match the Wanderers will act as host to Fall River, and in the New York game, Indiana Flooring will face J. & P. Coats. In the only other league game tomorrow Newark will be at home to Shawsheen.

Minnesota Eleven Would Sign Lynch, Dartmouth End Coach

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Minneapolis Journal today says that Edward B. Lynch, end coach at Dartmouth College, Eastern football champions this season, will become end coach at Minnesota next Fall. Official announcement of Lynch's appointment probably will be made in January, the newspaper says. Lynch will succeed Bob Saxton, another Dartmouth star.

EAST MEETS WEST ON GRIDIRON TODAY

All-Star Teams Put in Severe Final Workout for Benefit Battle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25 (AP).—East meets West here tomorrow in a battle of football. Each team numbers some of the greatest players in the country—many of whom have won places on All-American elevens. The contest is being put on by the Shriners as a benefit for the Crippled Children's Hospital.

Both elevens went through strenuous workouts today and the individual practices left an impression that tomorrow's game will be a hard-fought affair.

The Eastern squad reported one casualty since arrival here Wednesday from Chicago. Davis, left tackle from the University of West Virginia, suffered an injury to his ankle in practice yesterday. Bill Ingram, captain and coach of the Easterners, said today it was highly improbable that Davis would get into the game. All other members of the squad are in first-class shape.

Coach (Pesky) Scott of the Western team put his squad of All-Pacific Coast stars through a stiff practice and immediately after said the team was ready for the hardest kind of playing. Injuries have failed to make an impression on the Westerners.

The line-up:

EAST.		WEST.
Dilweg (Marquette)	L.E.	Brown (Olympic C.)
Edwards (Mich.)	L.T.	Bryan (Wash.)
Slaughter (Mich.)	L.G.	Bailey Tex. A.&M.)
Garbisch (Army)	C.	Horrell (Cal.)
Farwick (Army)	R.G.	Locay (Oreg. Ag.)
Chase (Pittsbg.)	R.T.	Shipkey (Stanford)
Sloane (Drake)	R.E.	Muller (Cal.)
Uteritz (Michigan)	Q.B.	Carlson (Cal.)
Fry (Iowa)	L.H.	Needles (S. Clara)
Jones (Florida)	R.H.	Imlay (Cal.)
Wyckoff (Ga.Tech)	F.B.	Patrick (Stanford)

MISS WILLS DRILLS IN BACKHAND PLAY

Works Out Daily to Improve Her Stroke Prior to Starting for Europe Jan. 31.

Special to The New York Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—Helen Wills of the University of California, the country's leading woman tennis player, who will leave here on Jan. 31 for Europe, is practicing daily on the courts at Berkeley, where she is improving her back-hand stroke. Since returning home after the strenuous campaign of last year, Miss Wills has been working on the back-hand stroke, more for offensive than defensive purposes. No one better than the player herself knew she was a trifle weak in this angle of the game and has improved it in such a manner as to be perfectly satisfied with herself.

The California star will not engage in any matches in this country until she returns, just before the nationals, the latter part of August. After arriving in Paris Miss Wills will engage in some strenuous practice sessions which will ultimately put her in shape for matches with Suzanne Lenglen in some of the larger tournaments.

Miss Wills will also be a member of the American team which will compete for the Weightman trophy. Upon her return to America the Californian will take part in other tournaments after the women's nationals. Miss Wills has been granted a six months' leave of absence from the university and is using the money earned by writing newspaper articles to make the trip with her mother.

British Soccer Results.

English League.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal 3, Notts County 0.
Manchester United 2, Bolton Wanderers 1.
Birmingham 3, Tottenham Hotspurs 1.
Blackburn Rovers 2, Everton 2.
Bury 6, Manchester City 5.
Cardiff City 3, West Bromwich Albion 2.
Leeds United 2, Burnley 2.
Leicester City 4, Sheffield United 2.
Sunderland vs. Huddersfield Town postponed.
West Ham United 5, Aston Villa 2.
Liverpool 6, Newcastle United 3.

SECOND DIVISION.

Blackpool 0, Chelsea 0.
The Wednesday 4, Bradford City 1.
Clapton Orient 2, Southampton 1.
Hull City 2, Darlington 1.
Fulham 2, Middleboro 0.
Nottingham Forest 4, Barnsley 2.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 2, Oldham Athletics 1.
Derby County 1, Port Vale 0.
Stockport County 3, Portsmouth 3.
Swansea Town 1, Stoke City 1.

Scottish League.

SECOND DIVISION.

Clyde 1, Third Lanark 0.

SOCCER RESULTS.

Indiana Flooring 1, Shawsheen 1.
Brooklyn Wanderers 2, Newark 2.
J. and P. Coats 6, Philadelphia 2.
Fall River 3, Bethlehem 2.
Boston 1, Giants 0.
New Bedford 1, Providence 0.

SHAWSHEEN ELEVEN TIED BY INDIANA, 1-1

Flooring Soccer Team First to Score in Holiday Match at New York Oval.

NEWARK HOLDS WANDERERS

Brooklyn Rallies in Last Half to Get 2-2 Draw—Giants Bow to Boston, 1-0—Other Results.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

Team.	Won.	Lost.	Drew.	Pts.
Fall River	17	1	4	38
Boston	13	8	3	29
Providence	12	8	4	28
New Bedford	13	7	2	28
Bethlehem	12	7	2	26
Indiana Floor.	10	11	4	24
Shawsheen	10	7	3	23
Brooklyn	8	11	5	21
N. Y. Giants	8	7	4	20
J. and P. Coats	8	10	3	19
Newark	1	16	4	6
Philadelphia	1	20	2	4

The Shawsheen Football Club of Shawsheen Village, Mass., winner last season of the U. S. F. A. cup competition, had to be satisfied with a 1-1 drawn match in the encounter with the eleven of the Indiana Flooring Company of this city at New York Oval yesterday afternoon. Each club, therefore, gained only one point in the American Soccer League. Neither side scored in the second period. There was an attendance of 2,100 persons.

Shawsheen pressed hard at the opening, Cook missing with a great drive in the first few minutes. Indiana took a turn, but Gallagher shot past the upright. After twenty-five minutes of play the floorlayers forced a corner and from the scrimmage which followed Bob Millar scored with a clever overhead kick.

The New Englanders again attacked strongly and gave Renzulli, at goal, a warm time. Lorimer broke through and seemed certain to score, but Renzulli saved brilliantly. Five minutes from the interval Cook evened up the score with a magnificent drive. The play in the second half was fairly even, each side in turn doing its share to keep the spectators on edge.

The line-up:

INDIANA (1).		SHAWSHEEN (1).
Renzulli	G.	Murdock
Rankin	R.B.	Ross
Ferguson	L.B.	Mills
Foy	R.H.	O'Donnell
Terris	C.H.	Thompson
McIntosh	L.H.	Watkins
Gallagher	O.R.	Gray
Schylander	I.R.	Dixon
Millar	C.	Lorimer
Carlson	I.L.	Smith
McGhee	O.L.	Cook

Referee—George Young. Linesmen—W. Williams and J. Connachin. Goals—Millar, Indiana Flooring F. C.; Cook, Shawsheen F. C. Time of halves—45 minutes.

Wanderers Tie With Newark.

Newark divided the points with the Brooklyn Wanderers yesterday in the American Soccer League game at Hawthorne Field, Brooklyn, where the Fall Rivers, champions of the league, will be seen in action tomorrow. Newark led at half-time by 2—0, and it required fast work on the part of the home side to even up the score. This they were able to do before the second period was half over. There were 1,500 soccer fans present.

A penalty given against Brooklyn yielded the first tally for Newark after ten minutes of play, Marshall negotiating the kick successfully. Ten minutes later, Dickie broke away and sent in a long shot which Smith stopped but was unable to hold.

Facing a deficit of 2—0, the Wanderers set to work in earnest following a change of ends. Their first count came in eight minutes. During an attack on the Newark goal the ball was kicked out to Adair, who lifted it above the heads of the defenders and dropped it into the net. It was nip and tuck for the next quarter of an hour, at the end of which Herd equalized for the Wanderers from a mix-up.

The line-up:

B. WANDERERS (2).		NEWARK (2).
Smith	G.	Oliphant
Robertson	R.B.	Sharp
McMillan	L.B.	Fleming
McManus	R.H.	McLeod
Forrest	C.H.	Hume
Herd	L.H.	Nicol
Adair	O.R.	Dickie
Manson	I.R.	Kirby
Nelson	C.	Marshall
Wardrop	I.L.	Brown
Barr	O.L.	McAtee

Referee—W. Halliday. Linesmen—J. Cunningham and S. Day. Goals—Marshall, Dickie, Newark; Adair, Herd, Brooklyn Wanderers. Time of halves—Forty-five minutes.

Giants Blanked by Boston, 1 to 0.

BOSTON, Dec. 25.—The Boston pro soccer team defeated the New York Giants here this morning one goal to nothing in an American League fixture. Despite unfavorable weather conditions, the contest proved one of the most interesting of the season.

Boston's lone goal was scored by Galloway, who netted a beautiful pass from Fleming within the first minute of play. After that the Giants tightened their defense, a feature of which was the fine work of Geudert, the visiting goalie, who made a dozen brilliant saves during the game.

The line-up:

BOSTON (1).		GIANTS (0).
Steele	G.	Geudert
Young	R.B.	Kelly
McArthur	L.B.	Moorehouse
McIntyre	R.H.	Topping
Priestly	C.H.	Scott
R. Ballantype	L.H.	McKenney
McNab	O.R.	Crilly
Galloway	I.R.	Brenner
Battles	C.	Stradan
J. Ballantyne	I.L.	Phillips
Fleming	O.L.	Duggan

Goal—Galloway.

Referee—R. Rose of New Bedford. Linesmen—J. Huston and W. Andrews. Time of halves—45 minutes.

Toledo A. C. Is Dinner Host To 1,500 Christmas Poor

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 25 (AP).—Fifteen hundred men, women and children were guests at a Christmas dinner given today by Ad Thatcher, boxing promoter, at the Toledo Athletic Club. At 10 o'clock this morning men began coming and at 3 this afternoon they were still straggling in. The boxing ring had been moved to one side of the gymnasium to make room for the long tables, which were loaded down with chicken, pork, cranberries, potatoes, ice cream, cakes and fruit.

Fall River Beats Bethlehem.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Dec. 25.—Fall River defeated Bethlehem Steel by 2 goals to 1 at the Bethlehem Steel field today after one of the most strenuous games seen in league circles for many years. Bethlehem was unfortunate to lose, as it had by far the best of the game in the open, but two mistakes by Carnihan paved the way for both of the Fall River goals.

Fall River was the aggressor in the opening stages, but the locals soon displayed superior soccer, and after Stark failed to score from a penalty, Goldie sent over a great centre that Stark headed through. Near the end of the half, Britain equalized when a cross from Campbell was miskicked by Carnihan on the 6-yard line.

The teams turned around on even terms and Bethlehem had many opportunities to score, but poor finishing, coupled with great saving by Kerr, kept them at bay. Toward the end of the game Campbell scored the winning goal when Carnihan again miskicked a cross shot from McKenna. Bethlehem attacked desperately in the final minutes, but was unable to locate the net.

The line-up:

FALL RIVER (2).		BETHLEHEM (1).
Kerr	G.	Carson
Tate	R.B.	Berryman
McGill	L.B.	Allan
McPherson	R.H.	MacDonald
Fryer	C.H.	Carnihan
Coyle	L.H.	MacGregor
Campbell	O.R.	Forest
Croft	I.R.	Purvis
Brittan	C.F.	Stark
White	I.L.	Rollo
McKenna	O.L.	Goldie

Goals—Stark, Brittan, Campbell. Referee—Thomas Cunningham. Linesmen—Smart and James Walders. Time of halves—Forty-five minutes.

Coats Crushes Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25.—Before the largest crowd of the season J. & P. Coats of Pawtucket, R. I., triumphed over the Phillies in an American League soccer match this afternoon here, 6 to 2. Coats played one of their outstanding games of the season.

The line-up:

PHILADELPHIA (2).		COATS (6).
Kucklick	G.	Park
Davies	R.B.	McLeod
Rudd	L.B.	Allen
McFarlane	R.H.	Drummond
Shortt	C.H.	Sinclair
Duffy	L.H.	McAvoy
Hardy	O.R.	Harvey
Gowdy	I.R.	A. Langley
Collins	C.F.	Adams
McLaughlin	I.L.	P. Langley
Marshall	O.L.	Hibbert

Goals—Adams (3), Harvey (2), Sweeney, Mardy, Marshall.

Referee—A. Laurie, Newark, N. J. Time of halves—45 minutes.

New Bedford Defeats Providence.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Dec. 25.—The New Bedford F. C. defeated Providence in the American Soccer League this afternoon, 1 to 0, in a stubbornly contested game. Andy Stevens scored the lone goal after twenty minutes of play.

The tally resulted from McCauley's miskick after Welsh sent the ball to the half-way line, where Maxwell helped it on its way. McCauley mistoed as he tackled Maxwell for possession and Stevens proved the opportunist to race through, taking the ball on the run and banging it past Surgener.

Misplays were many, the contest being staged on a soft-topped surface, frozen underneath. Stevens featured throughout. Surgener was severely tested in the Providence goal, but Shaw had it comparatively easy, so well protected was he by Cowan and Hunter and the halfback line.

C. C. N. Y. Plays Alumni Tonight.

The City College basketball team will meet the alumni tonight in the City College gymnasium. There will be a preliminary game between the freshmen and George Washington High School.

GIANTS WILL PLAY FOOTBALL IN SOUTH

Five Games Have Been Booked for Florida Season, Which Opens New Year's Day.

TO MEET NEVERS'S ELEVEN

Stars Who Now Are on Other Teams Are Expected to Return to New York Management.

The New York football Giants will prolong their season by five games to be played in Florida next month, according to an announcement made yesterday by Dr. Harry A. March, Secretary of the club. The trip will begin with a game at Palm Beach on New Year's Day, in which the opposition will be furnished by the Palm Beach eleven of the Florida Winter League. Bo McMillin, former Centre College star, is captain and coach of this eleven.

Dates have not been set for the New Yorkers' other appearances in the Southland, but Dr. March said the team surely would play at Jacksonville and Miami, and would encounter Ernie Nevers and his mates in the struggle at the first-named resort.

Bomar, Parnell, Alexander and McBride of the Giants' "varsity" eleven, who are for the present playing with the Coral Gables Collegians and yesterday were in the latters' line-up against Red Grange and the Bears, are expected to rejoin the Giants for the Southern trip, as the local club has first call on their services. This will give the Giants practically the same eleven which played at the Polo Grounds all Fall.

The Bears will not be encountered during the jaunt, as Grange's team is scheduled to play its way across the country during January.

MAROCZY TO MEET KUPCHIK IN TOURNEY

Chess Masters Will Compete for Manhattan Club Championship, Starting Jan. 8.

Geza Maroczy, chess champion of Hungary, and Abraham Kupchik, holder of the Western championship title, are among the entries for the annual tournament for the championship of the Manhattan Chess Club to be started on Jan. 8, entries closing a week earlier. Albert Hallgarten has donated a prize fund of $600. The names already on the entry list are the following:

G. Maroczy, A. Kupchik, O. Tenner, I. Kashdan, H. Steiner, E. Berman, R. Smirka, L. Samuels, A. S. Pinkus, G. J. Beihoff, C. E. Norwood, R. L. Bornholz, I. Horowitz, A. Hallgarten, O. W. Field and N. Halper.

In his simultaneous exhibition at the Manhattan Chess Club, Christmas Eve, Maroczy played against seventeen opponents without losing a game. T. M. Croney succeeded in drawing with the Hungarian master, but the remaining sixteen were defeated.

The Christmas Day Rapid Transit tournament was won by A. Kupchik with a score of 10½—2½. The other prize winners were: O. Tenner, 10—3; J. Rosenthal, 9½—3½; J. L. Sherman, 8½—4½; A. S. Pinkus, 8—5.

COACHES MEET ON MONDAY.

Football Rules and Proposals to Be Discussed Here.

The fourth annual meeting and banquet of the American Football Coaches' Association will be held Monday in the Butterfly Room of the Hotel Pennsylvania. The session will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning.

Robert Zuppke of Illinois, who produced Red Grange, is President of the association and he will be in the chair during the morning discussion and at the early afternoon meeting of coaches to clarify the rules and for a general discussion of new ideas.

The coaches' banquet will commence at 6:30 P. M. Among those invited to speak are Ring Lardner, Bugs Baer, Grantland Rice and Frank Craven. The musical program for the day's festivities is being arranged by Jack McCoy.

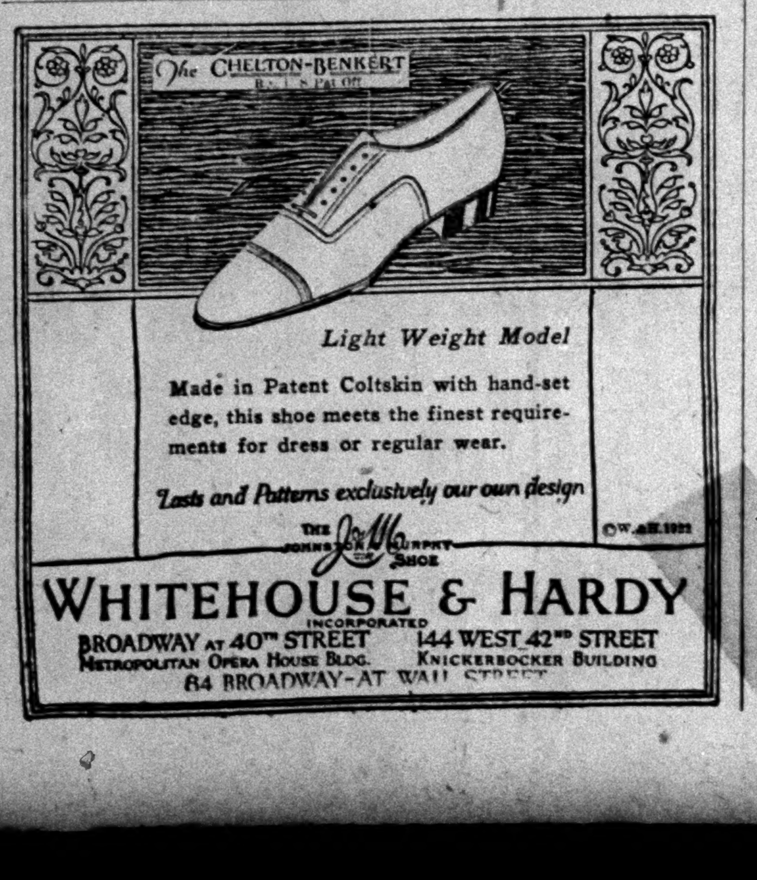
SMITH SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

But California Coach Is Still In Danger, Nurse Says.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25 (AP).—Head Coach Andy Smith of the University of California football team continued to show improvement tonight, but still was not out of danger, his nurse said. He is ill at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital with pneumonia.

Moore and McGovern Matched.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25 (AP).—Jimmy Moore, negro middleweight of Cincinnati, and Eddie McGovern of San José have been signed for a ten-round bout here next Wednesday night.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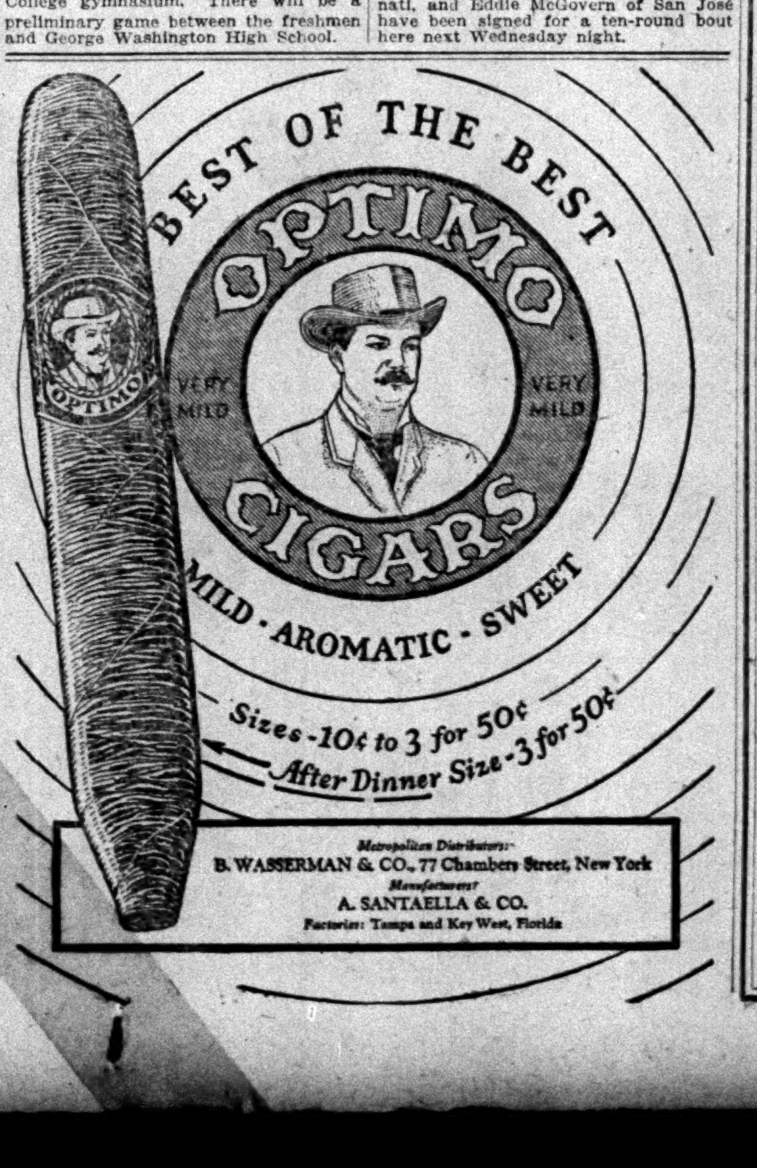
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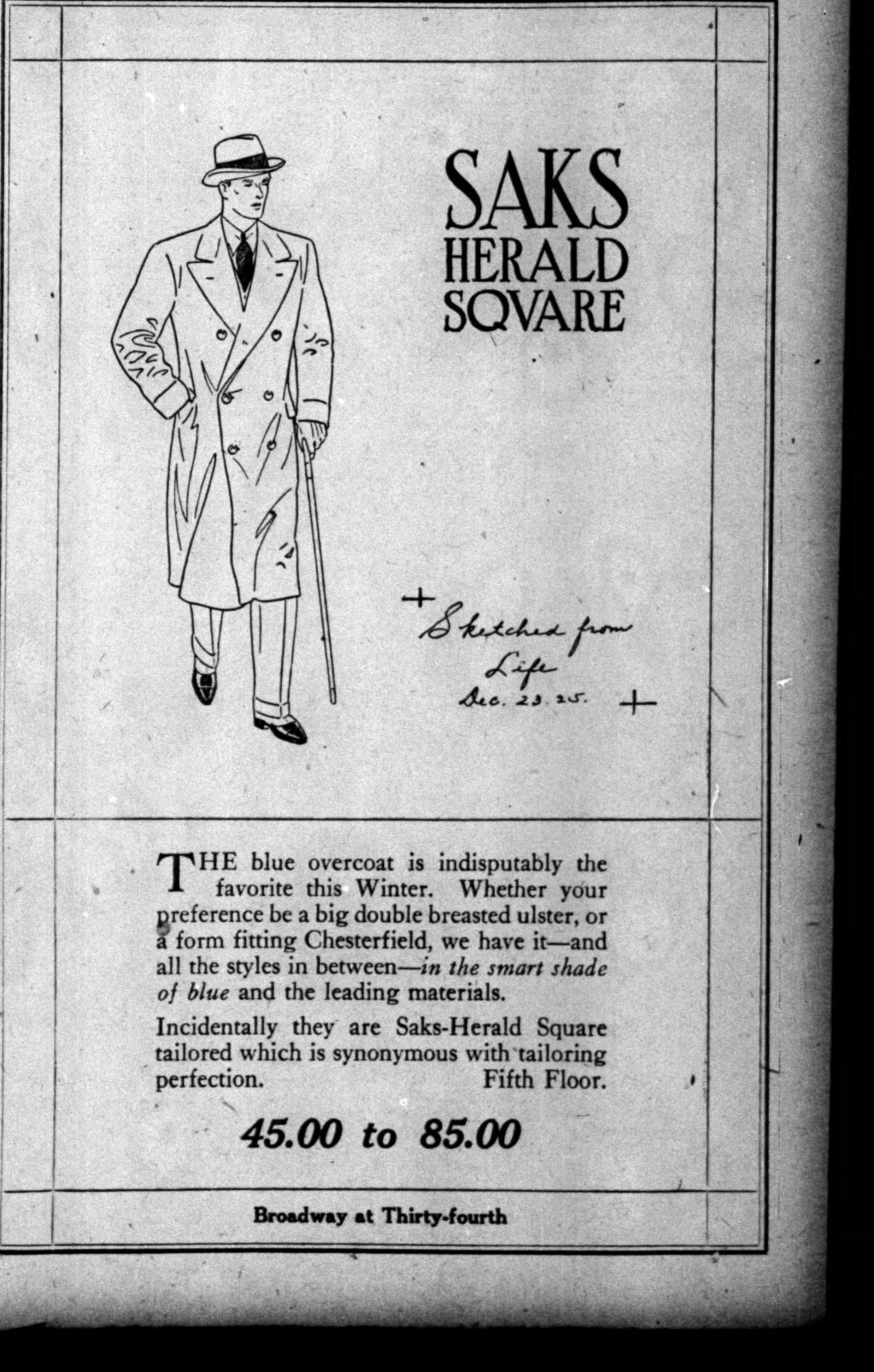
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THE NEW MAYOR'S PROMISES.

Mayor-elect WALKER has been consulting with leading physicians about the needs of the Health Department. That it is to have a new head has been taken for granted, and his selection will be as important as any which Mr. WALKER will have to make. Professional skill, experience, standing in the medical profession, should be combined with executive capacity in the chief health officer of this city. The routine work of the Health Department can almost take care of itself for a time, but the great demand is that those in charge of it be alert to new dangers to the public health and open-minded in adopting new measures, while resolute in maintaining discipline and efficiency among the subordinates. There is now every hope that Mayor WALKER will do his best to keep the great work of sanitation, of prevention of disease, of heading off epidemics, in the hands of competent men.

The encouraging thing is that the Mayor-elect appears willing and eager to profit by the advice of real experts. We know the contempt with which they were viewed under the Hylan régime. Mr. WALKER has pledged himself, not only in regard to the Health Department, but as concerns the public schools and the police, to find out from the best sources what ought to be done, and then to set about doing it. This does not imply that we are not to have a thoroughgoing Tammany Administration in the great run of appointments in the majority of the municipal departments. But it is significant that Mr. WALKER feels a special obligation to make at least three branches of the public service of the city intelligently manned, non-partisan in spirit, and somewhere near commensurate with the dignity and demands of Greater New York.

SANTA CLAUS AT SCRANTON.

The miners' Christmas began when hundreds of relief workers carried heaping baskets into homes otherwise without gifts, often without food and clothing. It reached its climax when Santa Claus bounded in, or seemed to do so, with the announcement that January would see the end of the strike. It will not always do to strip away those snowy whiskers and bushy, benevolent eyebrows. Beneath them Father has been known to wear a face that says condemnatory things of the Merry Yuletide. The Christmas mind of JOHN L. LEWIS is revealed in his brief written statement, without which the operators, taught by long experience, refused to confer with him. Last week he insisted that the Pinchot plan afforded the only basis on which he would proceed. Now he glumly records that this is a "wrong impression" conveyed by "improper interpretations." He is willing to "consider" other plans.

Eloquent is the plea of the poverty of the miners. The Mayors of the mining towns urge the plight of a broad region in which commerce is at a standstill, and of its chief industry, which is being delivered over to competitors in the soft coal fields. Both miners and merchants are something more than indifferent to the "check-off," which Mr. LEWIS needs to fasten his hold on an organization that is "slipping through his fingers." Most eloquent of all is the voice of local priests and pastors, speaking for the vast majority of "foreign language" miners. To them especially the check-off means nothing. They plead for "the spirit of Christmas," also for the spirit of Locarno which is elsewhere pervading the world. The spokesman of the priests even hints at a resumption of mining without warrant from Mr. LEWIS. Whether or not their protests are answered, they "will act anyway on Wednesday." "We don't care "who settles the strike, but it must "end."

The one thing certain about a man of Mr. LEWIS's type is that nothing is certain. In both hard and soft coal fields his rule has been a rule of ruin. It has long been evident that his reelection to chief command is at stake. He may choose to die fighting. But in the coal fields they seem not to expect that. His agreement to confer is even interpreted as a willingness to accept the "impartial arbitration" which from the outset he has refused.

RUBBER AND OTHER THINGS.

It was pointed out by our Washington correspondent that the flurry in Congress about the price of crude rubber, largely under British control, might easily lead to something more than a commercial dispute. One Government cannot charge another with unfair trade practices without inviting a retort. And recriminations of that kind often lead to international friction. This has already begun to show itself. The English press has intimated that the American pot is calling the English kettle black. Secretary HOOVER has felt it necessary officially to deny that our Government has ever sought to restrict the export of wheat or to raise its price artificially. What we have sought to do by our tariff laws is another matter. But we suppose that the docile American consumer is not expected to protest against price-raising at his expense.

What the whole controversy seems to call for is an impartial fact-finding body. And right here bobs up again that intolerable nuisance, the League of Nations. It has an Economic Committee and proposes soon to hold an economic conference to which the United States will be invited, and by which the entire question of alleged monopolies in raw materials will be studied. This will again place America in the awkward position of being anticipated in its demands by an organization from which it has stood haughtily aloof. Yet the very issue hastily raised by Secretary HOOVER and taken up by the House of Representatives is one with which a League economic conference is best fitted to deal. In fact, the Economic Committee of the League has already gone on record as holding that the raw materials produced by one country should not, "unless in exceptional cases, be "the object of restrictions or differ"ential regulations" of a kind to injure the economic life of other States. That seems to look directly at rubber. But the statement goes on to lay down the principle that "measures of re"striction taken to meet exceptional "situations" should not be kept up after the circumstances which warranted them have changed.

Now, it was one of the merits of the Stevenson act of 1922 controlling the export of rubber from Ceylon and the Malay States that it contained a proviso allowing additional exports automatically as the price might rise during any three-months period. If things in the rubber trade go on as they are doing, it is estimated that by the first of next February the export of rubber will be virtually unrestricted. The price, of course, is another affair, which seems bound to be determined in the main by the extraordinary demand from the United States. However, the course which the trade is expected to take may be seen in the fact that rubber for delivery in 1927 and 1928 may be contracted for at a figure far below the present price.

So large a question, involving so many nations and commercial interests, cannot be solved by a single Government or in a one-sided manner. What the League of Nations proposes is a comprehensive inquiry and a settlement in which all concerned will acquiesce because it is just. Thus we see that the confounded League is again showing its malice against America by suggesting a way to help us out of our own troubles.

GENERAL WINGATE'S APPEAL.

General GEORGE W. WINGATE, appealing for funds to carry on the work of the Public Schools Athletic League, of which he has been President for twenty-two years, draws attention to the fact that, while 60 per cent. of the criminals sent to the State prisons are now under 21, no boys who have been "prominent in league games" are among the number. The Athletic League was authorized to provide all kinds of competitive sport, supplementing the efforts of the Board of Education, "which are by law limited to what can be done in the schools." Use is mainly made of armories, athletic fields and swimming pools, although the organization may use school playgrounds. It has become "the largest athletic organization in existence." Last year 400,000 children took part in its games. "What "is even more important than phys"ical development," says General WINGATE, "is the manly and moral training of the children."

When General WINGATE was a boy there were many vacant spaces in the city which children could use for playgrounds. These have practically all been occupied and built up. No areas are left in which games can be played with any freedom of movement. But for the intervention of the Public Schools Athletic League large numbers would still be trying to amuse themselves in streets made dangerous by motor vehicle traffic. Do most New Yorkers know that 1,000,000 boys and girls are now attending the public schools? Perhaps the majority of this million of scholars do not have the benefit of the training which the Athletic League gives. There is the record of twenty-two years to prove how valuable it is in building up physique and in forming character. Public-spirited men and women are supporting it with their contributions. But with its growing usefulness they cannot provide enough money. General WINGATE wants to do these things:

> To increase the league's annual membership to more than 1,000, which will give it an assured income, like that of the Zoological Gardens and the Metropolitan Museum.
>
> To create an endowment fund of several hundred thousand dollars, interest on which is to maintain and extend the work of the league.

The cause should come with special force to those who are concerned about maintaining the old standards of training. It may be true that home life in this crowded city has become difficult and its influences for good are not what they were. If that is the case, such organizations as the Public Schools Athletic League and the Boy Scouts should be kept up and enlarged.

THE FARMERS' YEAR.

Based on the figures of the Department of Agriculture, the total value of the country's four big money crops—corn, wheat, hay, cotton—is estimated at $5,574,140,534. This is a decrease of $921,000,000 from last year. The corn crop is a quarter larger than that of 1924, but its value is depressed. Yet the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis remarks that cheap corn means a boom in cattle. The wheat crop is 23 per cent. below last year. Cotton is valued at $1,357,541,276, and the price holds surprisingly considering the yield. In 1923 the farmers were rejoicing over an increase of $1,663,882,000 in crop values above 1922. Those were the last of the war boom years. The farmers forget their war profits, yet it may be doubted whether many of them would sell their farms at pre-war prices.

On Tuesday the American Council of Agriculture, claiming to represent one million farmers, in assembly at Des Moines, unanimously resolved that the offer of President COOLIDGE and Secretary JARDINE to aid farmers' cooperatives with information and advice is superfluous, as they already have an excess. "It is not information that we need, but a fair price." But Washington cannot discover the costs of production for each farm. No farmer would sell at a price fixed by his neighbors' costs or the costs of his county or State. The President was wise when he frankly told the farmers that he would have nothing to do with price regulation, and went on to say that the farmers suffered by war taxes. The farmers do not pay all the taxes, but the total of the taxes taken from consumers of farm products reduces their purchasing power.

ADVERTISING A NATION.

From ancient Kyme, on the shores of Asia Minor, a Czechoslovak archaeological expedition has reported interesting discoveries of the Roman and pre-Roman age. The thing that strikes one first in the story is not the contribution to human knowledge, but the fact that it should have been made by citizens, and presumably at the public cost, of one of the new nationalities in Central Europe. The Government at Prague has enough problems on its hands to keep it busy for a great many years. Yet it seems to have spared time from economic, social and foreign policies, and resources from a heavily burdened exchequer to invest in archaeological exploration. It is no calumny to suggest that the motive at Prague was not exclusively scientific. President MASARYK and Mr. BENES may have recognized the advertising value for their country of Czech cooperation in a domain not usually associated with nationalist ambitions.

It is a form of nationalism which the world must welcome. It is a form of advertising to which the small peoples might profitably devote a good deal of thought. Their more powerful neighbors have been far from disdainful of similar methods. Costly scientific expeditions, polar explorations and round-the-world flights are something more than a search for scientific or practical gains; they are the expression of a legitimate national pride and enhancement of the national prestige. For the smaller nations it is a particularly fruitful source of publicity. A Portuguese aviator on his way to Tokio wins more newspaper space than is allotted to everything else that has happened in Portugal. What has been the advertising value of NANSEN, AMUNDSEN and SVERDRUP to a little nation like Norway? The excavators, the polar explorers and the aerial circumnavigators are only another phase of the competition emanating from the little peoples which has chiefly expressed itself in literature, which is beginning to express itself in athletics. What tiny Denmark owes to GEORG BRANDES, Norway to the great galaxy of IBSEN, BJORNSON, HAMSUN, JONAS LIE, Sweden to STRINDBERG and SELMA LAGERLOF, and Finland to NURMI, would amount to a very handsome sum if estimated at the rate per agate line.

Even if the motive among the small peoples be one of imitating the big international fellows, even if Czechoslovakia think it befitting its new status to equip itself with archaeological expeditions, it is a much more commendable enterprise than imitating the Powers in the matter of armaments, tariff walls and foreign policies. For the peace of Europe it would be a gain if Government budgets reduced their items on air defense and gunboats and introduced appropriations for excavating ancient cities. A Rumanian appropriation for digging around Nineveh, a Yugoslav appropriation for exploration in Yucatan, a Greek appropriation for a non-stop flight from the Piraeus to Stockholm, would be soothing to European nerves and conducive to world-wide publicity for Bucharest, Belgrade or Athens.

HONORS IN A DEMOCRACY.

It was the special prerogative of Kings and Emperors in the monarchical centuries to bestow distinction of their whim or design. Romance has found material for its pages in the royal favor shown persons of low degree and their elevation to unusual honors and public notice. Democracies, while nominally discountenancing all such distinctions, as setting one man above another, have nevertheless a lingering liking for the markings of heraldry. It is, however, of significance that in democracies there are developing agencies of one sort or another for recognizing outstanding service to humanity, particularly in the field of science, where so many men who have made the greatest contribution to human progress in the past have gone to their graves not only unhonored and unsung but even in penury and want.

The Nobel Institute in Norway is one such agency; dedicated to searching out men and women in any and every part of the world, who in science or letters or in the promotion of better human relations are deemed to be doing the most for the race, and inscribing their names upon its immortal roll. The honorarium which accompanies the honor is so generous as to relieve the recipients of anxiety about food and shelter, at any rate. A number of such awarding organizations have recently been established in America, where the innate love of the symbolism of knighthood still shows itself in the emblems of fraternal societies. Their awards carry no heraldic insignia, but they acquaint the public with services that should be appreciated while the man or woman who has given them is still alive.

Such an award is that which has just been made by the Research Corporation of America to Dr. JOHN J. ABEL, Professor of Pharmacology in Johns Hopkins University, for having done more to promote human enjoyment of life "than any other living American scientist." What is emphasized in the award is that the contributions which he has made and which were the basis of the award were given freely and without hope of a monetary reward, though the consciousness of having made a real addition to human knowledge must in itself be a far greater reward than any external authority or financial compensation can offer. This scientific work by Dr. ABEL is the result of a lifelong devotion to unheralded investigations which have come to the knowledge of the public only within the last two or three years, in their application to human relief. One is the isolation of a highly concentrated form of insulin; another a means of washing poison out of the blood by the use of an artificial kidney; another the production of a substance from which adrenalin is manufactured; and still another increased information as to the functions of the pituitary gland. Doubtless other concrete developments in the control of disease will come from his basic studies.

The founder of this research corporation, Dr. FREDERICK G. COTTRELL, has himself refused to benefit financially from certain patents of his own, having turned these patents over to the Smithsonian Institution as custodian for the use of the Research Corporation of America in supplying means for the advancement and extension of technical and scientific investigation. It is only a modest honorarium that is offered with the distinction—not to be compared in amount with the Nobel Prize—but its purpose looks in the same direction and should be helpful to democracy in giving recognition to real merit and service and in emphasizing the fact that individual "kudos" is not inconsistent with the rule of the demos. It is a hopeful indication and prophecy and not a mere social survival such as some of the distinctions are that depend upon political influence or royal favor.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Journalistic Risks Are Escaped.

Chicago is to be congratulated on the fact that The Daily News, which, under the ownership and management of the late VICTOR LAWSON, became one of America's notable newspapers, is to remain in the hands of the men who for years past had been his lieutenants in carrying out his journalistic policies and methods. This will insure the continuance of those policies and prevent the disturbance of a personnel in the various departments which Mr. LAWSON had found satisfactory. It also will make certain that the paper will continue to be regarded as a paper, which means something much more than a piece of property to be used in speculation or a machine for the making of money.

The Daily News will remain a paper with an established character and with a reputation made. Of course, a newspaper, to live a real life, must make a profit for its owner. But this may be, and with the best newspapers is, incidental to the accomplishment of other and higher ends.

That is true to some degree of every business, but it is true in greater measure of newspapers than of other enterprises wherein the commercial aspect is of necessity more prominent. The newspaper is or can be highly efficient in the furthering of causes both good and bad, and while its control of its readers is far from complete, it does influence them so long as it retains their confidence in its honesty. Few of them, these days, regard even the newspaper they like best as infallible, but they do look to it for guidance in the interpretation of the world's happenings.

If the publication of a newspaper is, from one point of view, a business, from others it is a sort of personal activity, with the usual personal responsibilities. It is not without reason that people constantly are repeating that this or that newspaper "says" this or that.

Wise Only in the Little Things.

It is regrettable that the new Turkish Government should show wisdom in doing things of little importance and yet remain not far from its original, fifteenth century stage of barbarism in the management of minority fractions of its population. Were it not for an occasional massacre on a large scale of non-Mohammedans, one could be much heartier in praising some of the lawmaking done in Angora.

The legislators in that sequestered town every now and then show more than ordinary intelligence in what they do. They abolish polygamy, they make the continuance of marriage depend on more than the husband's will or whim, and they decree that men shall or may wear other hats than the fez. Even more commendable is the latest edict to be reported—that there shall be no more fortune-telling, no more practice of magic or sorcery as a means of extorting money from the ignorant and credulous.

In this last-named matter, however, it is doubtful if the Turkish legislators will be much more successful than those of the more Western nations. We have had the same legal ban on these absurd arts for many years, yet their practitioners go right ahead with their profitable trades.

Some American newspapers even give countenance to astrology by conducting departments devoted to that ancient art, and it is by no means only our illiterates who see in "horoscopes" objects worthy of grave attention. In spite of innumerable exposures, our "mediums" still continue before reverential spectators to play childish tricks like those recently disclosed in Boston. Unless the Turks are far more severe with their sorcerers than we would dare to be, vainly will they pass laws against sorcery.

They Know Who Was Responsible.

What looks like a sincere attempt not only to punish lynchers, but to hold to real responsibility the Sheriff and other officials who did not stop or attempt to prevent the lynching, is reported from Coahoma County, Mississippi. There, in the town of Clarksdale, a negro recently was arrested for murder, put on trial before a jury of the vicinage and acquitted. It is a safe presumption that the man was innocent. Immediately upon his release, however, he was seized by a mob and hanged.

The affair has made a big stir in the State, and from many parts of it have come to the Governor exhortations that he see to it at once that the dignity and majesty of the law be vindicated by the punishment of those who permitted this disgraceful crime as well as those who committed it. So some of the lynchers have been arrested—of course, there was no difficulty in finding them when a real effort was made to do so—and Sheriff S. W. GLASS and four of his deputies have been indicted for negligence in the performance of their duties.

He can say, doubtless, as other Sheriffs in like cases have said, that to save the negro from the mob he would have been obliged to kill some of its members, his fellow-townsmen. Whether true or not, that statement is no defense at all for those who make it. That this Sheriff is in danger of more than losing his job is not probable, but that would be a highly exemplary punishment, of use in the North as well as in the South. Mississippi is to be congratulated on the promptness with which so many of its citizens and organizations have recognized that lynching is intolerable.

Who Would Make Them Stick?

A correspondent of The Herald Tribune protests with somewhat mysterious vehemence against the proposal of Representative SOL BLOOM so to amend the Immigration law as to admit without quota restrictions persons who will promise to enter domestic service here and continue in it for at least three years after arrival.

This bill has had much approval from troubled American housewives, but the letter writer declares that such a change in the law would open a wide door for fraudulent entry and make our restrictions on immigration a farce. That's as may be, but this critic is right when he says that those who came in as servants soon would acquire the common American preference for almost any other kind of work, and that then there would be no practicable means of making them keep their promise for three years or even for one.

That is the weak point in Mr. BLOOM's bill. Really to solve the servant problem, domestic service must be made more attractive than it is now, or it must be put on a wholly different basis. The fact that it is honest work is not enough; somehow or other it must be endowed at least with the dignity and liberty possessed by work in shops and factories. It is for the housewives, not the legislators, to do that.

A Complimentary Complaint.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Although you may not know it, there still exists in the world a group of old-fashioned persons who keep scrapbooks.

These old-fashioned persons are rapidly finding your newspaper to be a nuisance—largely through the excellence of the editorial page.

Please fire your whole staff of editorial writers at once and give the scrapbook makers a rest.

We cannot be everlastingly at it with the scissors and paste pot.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.
New York, Dec. 23, 1925.

THE BEAUTIES OF FLORIDA.

Writer Takes Exception to Comment That State Is Uninteresting.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your issue of Dec. 7 you have a brief editorial headed "Another View of Florida," in which you say:

"Considered simply as 'nature' Florida is a peculiarly uninteresting part of the country. Rising but a few feet above the sea, its soil little more than white sand, it is quite without 'scenery' and either walking or riding in it is tiresome."

Much of Florida is from 200 to 350 feet above the sea level. Running down through the centre of the State, and known as the highlands, is a superbly beautiful country with many hills which tax the going qualities of many automobiles, and the views from this high ridge country are far-reaching and very beautiful.

Along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, where the land is not so elevated, the river and the ocean views cannot but stir the admiration of every lover of the most wonderful ocean views to be found in America. Against the dull ocean views of much of the northern coast will be found the marvelously tinted waters of the ocean, where as one travels south the ocean tints grow deeper and deeper.

The celebrated Daytona-Ormond Beach, for instance, said by all experts, I believe, to be the most wonderful beach in the world, has a width of about 400 to 500 feet at low tide. The beach itself is so solid that the heaviest motorbuses and motor trucks make no impression whatsoever upon the sand, and one can ride for more than twenty miles upon a beach wide enough for twelve or fifteen cars to run abreast without the slightest crowding, and look out upon an ocean of surpassing grandeur. At other points somewhat similar beaches can be found, and I think it is granted by all who have studied the beaches of the world that nowhere else on earth can be found beaches that match in marvelous attractiveness from every point of view many of the beaches of Florida.

Millions of people have visited Florida, charmed not merely with its climate, but with the beauty of its scenery; with its beaches and its rivers; its 30,000 lakes, and its marvelous springs. In Marion County there is one spring flowing 500,000,000 gallons of water a day, so clear and crystal-like that the ferns and fishes at 75 to 80 feet from the surface are as clearly seen as though they were within one foot of the eye. There are many other wonderful springs in this State, some of them so wonderful that if they were in Colorado or California policemen would be necessary to hold the crowds in line as they sought to visit these springs of beauty.

And when your writer refers to "soil little more than white sand," he should bear in mind that there is an enormous amount of rich muck land. Even the sandy soil of Florida has produced magnificent forests of pine and oak and a wide variety of other trees; and any soil that can produce such superb forests necessarily has a fertility for the production of other things. On this so-called sandy soil, so little understood by people who see things only on the surface and never look to find the real truth, are the great orange and citrus groves of the State, and it is on this so-called sandy soil that the nation is depending for its Florida oranges and Florida grapefruit.

Years ago Henry M. Flagler told me he had once heard that no land in Florida would produce finer and larger crops of citrus fruits than some portions of the rocky soil in the southern part of the State. He took a large piece of land, some sixty or seventy acres, I think, and in that rocky formation blasted dynamite holes in which to plant fruit trees, as he wanted to test the matter. His trees grew rapidly and I visited that grove some years ago and saw about as magnificent a crop of oranges and grapefruit, with trees bending beneath their load, as I have ever seen in any part of this State. And yet the soil was so rocky one wondered that it could produce anything. It is a limestone rocky formation, and Mr. Flagler's theory was, after he tested the matter, that the roots penetrating down between the crevices of the rocks reached either a deeper soil or water from which they drew enrichment. That year the grove, then a young one, produced about 36,000 boxes of grapefruit and oranges.

The man who cannot see beauty in the waving palms, in the magnificent pines, the wonderful over-arching oaks which are all over this State, who cannot see beauty in the flaming red of the poinciana and many other gorgeous flowering vines, must indeed be among those who "having eyes see not and having ears hear not."

RICHARD H. EDMONDS,
Editor, Manufacturers' Record.
Daytona, Fla., Dec. 16, 1925.

Domestics and the Quota Law.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I write to thank you for your recent editorial concerning the bicentennial celebration and for the editorial in "Topics of the Times" concerning the servant-girl problem.

I have received many hundreds of letters about the latter subject since the introduction of my proposed amendment to the Immigration act, and it is, indeed, gratifying to observe that the comment is favorable.

SOL BLOOM.
Washington, Dec. 15, 1925.

"THE WEE BIRD'S GIFTS I GAVE AWAY."

I went to look for Christmas,
All on a snowy morning,
A snowy, blowy morning,
And a star was in the sky.
I went to look for Christmas,
And I started, oh, so early,
That not another soul, at all,
Was seen a-passing by.

I went to look for Christmas,
All on a snowy morning,
A snowy, blowy morning,
And the road was white and still.
I wore a cloak of scarlet,
My boots were new and shiny,
I traveled light and swiftly,
And caroled up the hill.

I went to look for Christmas,
All on a snowy morning,
A snowy, blowy morning,
And a star was in the sky.
A rosebud blossomed on a bush,
A fir tree gave me greeting,
A wee dark bird sang out to me
As I went passing by.

I went to look for Christmas,
All on a snowy morning,
A snowy, blowy morning,
And the wee bird sang "Noël!
Turn you back your pilgrim feet,
There's Christmas in your keeping."
And in my hand I found a star,
And in my heart a bell.

The star is fire and wine and bread,
And shelter for a homeless head.
The bell is love and candle light
To shed upon a darksome night.
The wee bird's gifts I gave away
And found the heart of Christmas Day.

BARBARA YOUNG.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE PRESS.

A Tribute to Its Work for Americanization—Disloyalty Denied.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The statement made at a recent meeting of the Allied Patriotic Societies in New York that there are 2,000 foreign language papers in the United States which attack our Government is an unwarranted charge against a section of our press which, for the most part, is thoroughly American in spirit and which constitutes the most important force in encouraging the immigrant to learn English and to become a citizen.

There are not and never have been 2,000 foreign language newspapers in the United States. At the present time there are some 1,200 such publications, issued in thirty-nine different languages. These papers serve the useful purpose of acquainting the foreign-speaking people of the country with our American institutions and of helping the newcomer to adjust himself to his new environment.

As a part of its work with the foreign language press, the Foreign Language Information Service is regularly reading 800 foreign language papers, more than 6,000 issues every month. We do not find them un-American or disloyal. Quite the reverse is true. A careful analysis shows that they are for the most part concerned with American matters and that they divide on political issues in just about the same proportions as do our English language papers. A study of 8,500 editorials in our foreign language newspapers showed that they do not differ essentially in subject or emphasis of editorial comment from the vernacular press. Just as with English language newspapers, there are a few radical papers, but they are in a very small minority. As a whole, the foreign language press is loyal and conservative.

In addition to regularly reading these 800 foreign language papers, the Foreign Language Information Service last year released to them articles on American life in sixteen different languages, which were reprinted more than 48,000 times. Most of this material came from Federal Government bureaus, and the rest from such organizations as the National Safety Council, the National Tuberculosis Association, the National Association of Legal Aid Organizations, or was prepared by our Editorial Committee from authoritative sources. This steady stream of information in regard to American laws, customs, history and institutions reaches the immigrant at a time when he most needs it, immediately on his arrival and before he has been able to learn English.

The foreign language papers do not have to be urged to print material relative to America, her laws and institutions. They are only too glad to do so. They want facts, however, not propaganda. As one editor expressed it in a letter to the service:

"You seem to know exactly what is of importance and interest to the immigrant reader * * * and you never inject offensive propaganda of any sort. That is the best method of Americanizing—not by coercion, abuse, preaching, nagging, bragging. * * *"

Hundreds of other editorials and letters have expressed similar appreciation of information about America.

In its work the Foreign Language Information Service has the hearty cooperation of the Federal Government, which has long recognized the value of utilizing the great social force represented by the foreign language newspapers. It has realized that many immigrants coming here as adults will never be able to learn to read English with sufficient facility to understand American history and government unless the information is made available in their mother tongue.

In a letter dated Nov. 7, Secretary Hoover wrote to the service as follows:

"In helping the immigrant to become an asset to American industry and to American life as a whole, I am convinced that there is no more important task than to acquaint him with our standards, customs, laws and institutions. This you are doing through your practical and helpful releases to the foreign language press."

The United States Commissioner of Education, John J. Tigert, has spoken in similar terms. In a recent letter to the service, he says:

"The Foreign Language Information Service has the hearty approval and the cordial support of the United States Bureau of Education. By translating pertinent portions of our publications and supplying the substance of them to the foreign language publishers in their own languages, you have greatly extended the circulation of the information which it is our duty to diffuse. You have thus helped us; you have aided the cause of public education, and you have been of material assistance in forwarding the Americanization of our foreign-born citizens."

To believe that just because a newspaper is printed in a foreign language it must be radical, reflects a surprising provincialism. If those who worry about the loyalty of the immigrant would worry more about giving him a square deal, the country would have less reason for concern. Loyalty cannot be inculcated by command or threat. As an Italian editor said, in a recent editorial, "In order to love a country, particularly a great, vast and complex country like America, it is necessary, before everything else, to know her."

If the newcomer is made to feel at home, if he believes that he has an equal opportunity and that America cares about giving him a square deal, no question as to his affectionate loyalty for his adopted country will arise. A sympathetic understanding on the part of native-born Americans of their foreign-born neighbor and his special problems is a vital factor in furthering the immigrant's assimilation and in the matter of national unity.

READ LEWIS,
Foreign Language Information Service.
New York, Dec. 17, 1925.

An Opinion From England.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I dare say your papers and people are as one with your tactful Colonel Harvey in his opinion of our country. But, like Germany when Aug. 3, 1914, came, some Americans forget that there is another side.

Money is not everything—the material has great power, but the spiritual has greater, and the spirit of sacrifice by which my and millions of my countrymen's sons offered and gave their lives at once still survives.

We are hard pushed; we are living very sparely, but our dead sons are standing by; their service has not ended; they are helping mother and father now, as they rushed out to help our good friends, the French, against a cruel and powerful foe.

The cruel and powerful enemy now is that huge nation whose only god is mammon—the nation that waited until the blood of the fighters was nearly poured out to the last drop. Recall Carlyle's saying that when God is thoroughly disgusted with the human, He throws him a bag of money. The German nation thought their might would crush France and England, but the spirit won. Colonel Harvey's wish is father to the thought, and, like the Germans, will be disappointed. It is America who is in danger!

WILLIAM FARREN.
Wimbledon, England, Dec. 13, 1925.

GERMAN DUKE SELLS 'OLD MASTER' HERE

Duveen Brothers Will Get "Portrait of a Lady" for $300,000.

BERLIN COURT ALLOWS SALE

Duke of Anhalt Also Gets Export Permit From the Government.

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BERLIN, Dec. 25.—The Duke of Anhalt, a deposed ruler of one of Germany's petty principalities, will be richer by $125,000 as a result of a Prussian court decision, handed down just before Christmas, authorizing him to sell to Duveen Brothers of New York a fifteenth century picture by Roger van der Weyde, a Flemish painter, belonging to the ducal collection.

Some time ago the Duke agreed to give the Duveens this "Portrait of a Lady" for the above-named price, but a German art firm, through which negotiations were conducted, got an injunction against the deal on the ground that the price was too low. The court called numerous art experts, who agreed that half a million gold marks were plenty for the canvas, 35 by 37 centimetres in size, and so the injunction was vacated.

The Duke has already got the German Government's permission to export the painting to America, where, the Berliner Tageblatt sadly remarks, it will probably hang in the gallery of a "millions-heavy dollar magnate."

Confirmation of the sale of van der Weyde's "Portrait of a Lady" to Duveen Brothers here was obtained last night from an official connected with the art dealers. The Duke of Anhalt, however, will profit to the extent of approximately $300,000, instead of the $125,000 mentioned in the cable dispatch. It was said, the purchase price being over 1,250,000 gold marks.

The "Portrait of a Lady" was said by the official to be one of the most celebrated of small paintings. A similar painting hangs in the National Gallery in London. Duveen Brothers in buying the painting had no specific purchaser in this country in mind, it was learned.

GIFT OF $150,000 TO YALE.

Carnegie Corporation Endows Professorship in Fine Arts.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 25 (AP).—An appropriation of $150,000 for the establishment of a professorship in the history of the arts in the Yale School of Fine Arts has been made by the Carnegie Corporation, Yale University announced today.

Advanced instruction in the history of art, to supplement and extend elementary work in this subject as now offered by the Art School, is made possible by the gift, the announcement stated.

"The splendid gift of the Carnegie Corporation enables Yale University to take a most important step in rounding out a program of comprehensive instruction in the fine arts," Dean E. V. Meeks of the School of Fine Arts said in commenting on the significance of the appropriation. "The results achieved in the cultural courses in the arts already given in Yale University have shown the wisdom of offering the additional and advanced work now made possible.

"This is further evidenced by the frequent election of these courses by non-professional students. The Yale undergraduates have shown vividly a development parallel to the general collegiate movement toward the study of fine arts. The fact that more than 400 undergraduates are taking such courses at Yale is the clearest indication of the timeliness of the gift of the Carnegie Corporation, one which will enable these students to carry on advanced work in a subject which is interesting college men to a constantly greater degree."

THREE FOR PEACE PRIZE.

German Wag Suggests Chamberlain, Briand and Stresemann.

MUNICH, Germany, Dec. 25 (AP).—A local wag suggests three candidates for the next Nobel Peace Prize award—Foreign Ministers Chamberlain of England, Briand of France and Stresemann of Germany. As it is customary for each winner to deliver a lecture at Stockholm upon receiving the prize, the wag suggests the following themes:

Chamberlain—"The monocle as an ancient symbol of international fraternity."

Briand—"Thick hair and the growth of peace."

Stresemann—"Bottled beer as a factor for the unification of peoples."

Chamberlain's monocle and Briand's abundant hair are known to every observer of political life. It is not so generally known, however, that Stresemann wrote a doctor's dissertation on bottled beer. His friends never stop teasing him about this!

BARS WHOLESALE PARDONS

California Governor Deplores Yuletide Opening of Prison Gates.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 25 (AP).—The practice of giving Christmas pardons was deplored by Governor Richardson in a Christmas Eve statement issued last night announcing that there would be no Yuletide opening of prison gates in California this year.

Declaring he was confident Californians would "enjoy this sacred day better with the knowledge that a score of murderers, robbers and pickpockets have not been turned loose upon them," the Governor stated his conviction that "the people, and not the criminal, deserve first consideration."

BASILICA IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Cathedral There Is the First So Honored in the United States.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Pro-Cathedral of St. Mary today was elevated to the rank of a minor basilica, the first church in the United States to be so honored.

Henceforth the official name of the church will be the Basilica of St. Mary. Churchmen said this is not only a high tribute from the pontifical head of the Catholic Church, but also is a tribute to the architectural beauty of the edifice.

TEVIS HUHN TO WED MARION AUFERMAN

Metropolitan Squash Racquet Champion Engaged to Daughter of Mrs. W. C. W. Auferman.

MISS RANDALL BETROTHED

Baltimore Girl to Wed Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Melville E. Stone —Other Engagements.

Mrs. Walter C. W. Auferman of 299 Park Avenue, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marion Auferman, to Tevis Huhn, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tevis Huhn of 215 Madison Avenue and Philadelphia. Miss Auferman is a graduate of the Westover School and made her début three years ago.

Mr. Huhn was graduated from Princeton University in 1922, and from Oxford University, England, in 1924. He is a grandson of George A. Huhn, head of the Philadelphia brokerage firm of George A. Huhn & Sons. He is metropolitan squash racquet champion and was a member of the United States team which in 1924 defeated England and Canada. He was a member of the 1920 Olympic team and holds the high and low hurdles records at Oxford.

The wedding will take place in this city late in January, and will be witnessed only by relatives and close friends as Miss Auferman's family is in mourning.

Randall—Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Randall of Baltimore have announced to their friends in this city the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Harding Randall, to H. Stuart Stone, son of Mrs. Herbert S. Stone and the late Mr. Stone of New York. Miss Randall, who is a graduate of St. Timothy's School in Catonsville, Md., made her début two Winters ago. She is a sister of Mrs. Francis F. Beirne, Richard H. Randall and William A. Randall of Baltimore.

Mr. Stone is a graduate of Groton School and of Harvard University, class of 1924. At Harvard he was a member of the Institute of 1770, the Hasty Pudding and the Spee Clubs. He is a grandson of William G. McCormick and the late Mrs. McCormick of Chicago and Baltimore and of Mr. and Mrs. Melville E. Stone of New York and a brother of Miss Eleanor Stone and Melville E. Stone 3d of this city.

Harris—Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Grenville A. Harris of Elizabeth, N. J., announced yesterday the engagement of their daughter, Miss Althea M. Harris, to Charles Gilbert Black Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilbert Black of Elizabeth, N. J., and Westhampton, L. I. Miss Harris is a graduate of the Vail Deane School. Mr. Black was graduated from Yale University in 1924 and is a member of the Cloister Club. He is now with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

Bang—Morrow.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Laura Marie Bang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bang of Byam Shore, Greenwich, Conn., to Nat W. Morrow Jr. of Greenwich, Conn. Miss Bang was graduated from Barnard College in 1924. Mr. Morrow attended Ohio State University and Columbia University. No date has been set for the wedding.

Swayer—Ernst.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Swayer of 162-23 Eighty-sixth Avenue, Jamaica, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elinor Swayer, to Edgar Charles Ernst, son of Dr. and Mrs. Otto Ernst of Larchmont, N. Y. Miss Swayer was graduated from Adelphi College in June of this year. Mr. Ernst is a member of the class of 1926, Columbia Dental College, Columbia University. No date has been set for the wedding.

Kelly—Bolton.

The engagement of Miss Helen Elizabeth Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin E. Kelly of Ogdensburg, N. Y., to William Bolton Jr. of this city has been announced. Miss Kelly attended McGill University, Montreal, and is a graduate of the American Academy of Dramatic Arts, this city, class of 1924. She is in charge of the department of dramatic arts and expression at Glen Eden School, Stamford, Conn.

Mr. Bolton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bolton of Troy, N. Y. He was graduated from Phillips Andover Academy in 1917 and from Princeton University in 1921. He is a member of the Princeton Club.

Adams—Dolley.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Demarest Adams of Greenwich, Conn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Adams, to Lawrence Cutting Dolley of Larchmont, N. Y. The wedding will take place in April.

DOROTHY S. STEELE BRIDE.

Wed to Robert G. MacDougall in Chapel of the Intercession.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Stanley Steele, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. George W. Steele of 795 St. Nicholas Avenue, to Robert Gordon MacDougall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacDougall of Montclair, N. J., took place yesterday in the Chapel of the Intercession, West 155th Street and Broadway. The ceremony was performed by the vicar, the Rev. Dr. Milo H. Gates.

Miss Harriet Steele, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Constance MacDougall, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Olive Lewis, cousin of the bride. Albert Kelsey was best man. The ushers were Stoddard Colby and Arnold Ford. A reception followed at the Hotel Majestic.

Mr. MacDougall and his bride will go to Cuba on their wedding trip. They will live in Florida.

Friday Junior Dances Begin.

The first of the Friday Junior Dances was held last night at the Plaza, where the second will be held on New Year's Day. The patronesses, some of whom received, are Mrs. Percy Hall Jennings, Mrs. Archibald Gourlay Thacher, Mrs. Eugene H. Pool, Mrs. Willard S. Brown, Mrs. Thornton Chard, Mrs. William Adams Brown, Mrs. Frank A. Vanderlip, Mrs. Keyes Winter, Mrs. Alexander J. Bruen, Mrs. William Warner Hoppin, Mrs. Clarence Bishop Smith, Mrs. John T. Gillespie, Mrs. Morgan H. Grace and Mrs. William Pitt Trimble.

The dances were organized by Miss Georgiana Harriman Owen.

Christened Lucy Cotton Thomas.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell Thomas of 320 Park Avenue was christened at their home yesterday afternoon. The child was named Lucy Cotton, after her mother. The venerable Joseph H. Dodson, Archdeacon of Southern Ohio, officated at the ceremony. The infant's godmothers were her aunts, Miss Ruth Cotton and Mrs. Frederick T. Mecker, sisters of Mrs. Thomas. Dr. Beeckman J. Delatour was godfather. Only members of the family and a few friends attended the christening.

SOCIAL NOTES

New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Malcolm Littlejohn of 29 East Sixty-seventh Street will give a dinner at the Riding Club on the night of Jan. 1 for their daughter, Miss Charlotte Littlejohn, who will not be introduced to society before another year. There will be fifty young friends of the family who afterwards will go to the dance at the Cosmopolitan Club, to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dane and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boardman, for their respective daughters, Miss Constance Dane and Miss Eleanor Boardman, also sub-débutantes.

Miss Cornelia Chapin of 399 Park Avenue is at the Ambassador in Atlantic City.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt gave her annual Christmas party last night at 666 Fifth Avenue.

Arthur C. Sheridan, who will leave for Palm Beach on Jan. 2, gave a large dinner last night at his new residence, 38 East Sixty-eighth Street. The guests included his sister, Miss Marie Fairfax Sheridan, who will be introduced to society next season.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Desmond will give a dinner tonight at Mayfair House.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Northrop Hine of Locust Valley are at the Ambassador.

Dances for débutantes of tonight will be given by Mr. and Mrs. William Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schultz Petrasch, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Atwell and John D. Beals.

Mrs. Harris Fahnestock will give a tea dance this afternoon at her home, 15 East Sixty-sixth Street, for Miss Alice Muriel Post, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allison Wright Post, whose engagement to Harris Fahnestock Jr. was announced recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald R. Watson of 36 West Fifty-ninth Street will give a reception with dancing this afternoon in the ballroom of the Ritz-Carlton to introduce their daughter, Miss Nancy R. Watson.

The marriage of Miss Anna Johanna von Hemert, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Philippe Louis von Hemert of Paris, to Apjar van Stolk of Rotterdam, Holland, will take place this afternoon in Calvary Church, Fourth Avenue and Twenty-first Street. A small reception will follow at 108 East Eighty-sixth Street, the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Auguste Philippe von Hemert.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. McMillan of Port Jefferson, L. I., have come to the Waldorf-Astoria for a stay of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vance Storrs and Miss Anne Storrs of the Ritz-Carlton have gone to Atlantic City for the holidays.

Mrs. Wallace P. Cohoe will give a holiday tea and dance this afternoon in the Italian Garden of the Ambassador for her daughter, Miss Eleanor Cohoe.

Mrs. Charles Walter Nichols of 280 Park Avenue will give a large luncheon at Pierre's on Jan. 5 for her daughter, Miss Kathleen Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Louis Hoguet will give a reception this afternoon at the Short Hills Club, Short Hills, N. J., for Mrs. Hoguet's mother, Mrs. Peter Lynch of Paris.

Mrs. Reginald de Koven gave a dinner, followed by a musical, last night at her home, 1,025 Park Avenue.

Washington.

Postmaster General and Mrs. New had a small company dining informally with them yesterday in their home in Edgemoor. Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Jardine were hosts to a small party at dinner last night in their apartment in the Mayflower. Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Hoover have as their guests for Christmas and the week-end their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Hoover Jr., who came from Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Jr. were married last Summer in California and the former is taking a post-graduate course at Johns Hopkins University.

Secretary of Labor and Mrs. Davis returned to their apartment in Wardman Park Hotel in time for Christmas, after a short visit with the Secretary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Davis, in Pittsburgh, and with Mrs. Davis's mother, Mrs. Rodenburg near Pittsburgh.

The Belgian Ambassador and Baroness de Cartier were hosts at dinner last night at the Embassy for the members of the Embassy staff and Belgian friends from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

The Italian Ambassador and Signora di Martino entertained the Embassy staff at dinner last evening.

The Uruguayan Minister and Mme. Varela entertained informally at luncheon yesterday, having among their guests the Peruvian Ambassador, Dr. Velarde, and the Director General of the Pan American Union, Dr. Rowe.

The Swiss Minister and Mme. Peter had their celebration in the afternoon, when they invited the members of the legation staff to tea, with a few additional guests. Their son, George Peter, is with them for the holidays, having come from Harvard University, where he is an instructor in engineering.

Princess Bibesco, wife of the Rumanian Minister, was hostess at luncheon yesterday, entertaining the members of the legation staff.

Senator and Mrs. Porter H. Dale gave a midday dinner party yesterday, their guests being Senator and Mrs. Frank M. Greene, Representative and Mrs. Edward T. Taylor, Representative and Mrs. Lindley M. Hadley, Representative and Mrs. John F. Miller, Colonel Charles H. Forbes of Vermont, Miss Edna Jackson and Miss Louise Pierce.

Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant joined her son-in-law and daughter, Prince and Princess Cantacuzene, in Sarasota, Fla., for Christmas.

Mrs. Katherine V. Wylie gave a small dance last night for her daughters, Miss Katherine and Miss Margaret Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee F. Warren were hosts at dinner last night for the latter's daughter, Miss Lenore Scullin, preceding the ball which was given at the Mayflower for the benefit of the Children's Country Home. Others who entertained at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Legare, who gave a party for Mrs. Legare's daughter, Miss Grace Waggaman.

Thomas Powers of New York, who is spending the holidays at the Mayflower, entertained at dinner there last evening before the ball.

Mrs. William Bowie gave a small tea dance yesterday afternoon at the Mayflower for Miss Ellen Wise Crenshaw.

Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Stuyvesant Pierrepont have with them for the holiday season at Invierno, their home in Jungle Road, their daughter, Miss Mary Rutherfurd Pierrepont; Miss Elizabeth Godwin and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Godwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shearson entertained at Christmas dinner at their home in the Ocean Boulevard, Villa Flora.

Mrs. George Singer gave a Christmas party for her two little sons at her home on the lake front.

Dr. and Mrs. Preston Pope Satterwhite, whose guests for several weeks include Mr. and Mrs. James Lowell Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. F. Egerton Webb, entertained on Christmas with a dinner for twenty at Casa Florencia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vernon Skiff of Short Hills gave a large dinner at their home in El Bravo Park.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb have a family party at Mirador, their house in Dunbar Road. Mr. and Mrs. Cyril H. Jones and her son, Seward Pulitzer; J. Louis Webb and Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Purdy are with them for the holidays.

Mrs. John E. Dana of New York has opened her house in Royal Palm Way and has been joined for Christmas by her sister, Mrs. Horace Maher, and Miss Dana Maher, who have recently returned from Europe.

Osborne C. Wood came over from Tampa and is stopping at the Poinciana, which opened for the season on Thursday.

Mrs. Florence Morrill of New York and Mrs. Elizabeth Eagleston of Hyannis, Mass., entertained informally Christmas Day aboard their houseboat, Arno.

George Altmyer of McKeesport, Pa., was the first to register at the Poinciana on Thursday. New York arrivals there include Colonel and Mrs. Willis Seaver Paine, H. B. McClellan, John B. Irwin, Dr. and Mrs. George G. Ward, William H. Ruland, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Dow, F. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Healy, Dr. and Mrs. A. Stella, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Raegner, Louis C. Raegner Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Davis, Gilbert E. O. Bell, Baroness J. Detreilles, William Henry Harrison, E. E. Meacham, Dr. and Mrs. John Blake White, Dr. Thomas P. Barnes, Miss Frances M. Barnes and Fred A. Hoyt.

Mrs. J. D. Hutton of London, Eugene M. O'Neill of Pittsburgh, J. Hall Jones of Waltham, Mass.; Mrs. W. J. Prendergast of Jefferson, Mass., and Mrs. Thomas F. Nolan of Brookline, Mass., were also among those who arrived on the opening day.

Miss Marjorie C. Redfern of Graham Court, New York City, and Miss Dorothy Wilson of Lakeville, Conn., are spending the holidays at the Royal Poinciana. Mr. and Mrs. Alec Standing of Scarsdale, with their daughter, Joan, are at Palm Beach for the Winter.

Newport.

No date has yet been set for the wedding of Arthur C. Train and Mrs. Helen Coster Gerard, whose engagement was announced in New York on Thursday, but in all probability the wedding will not be far distant. When it does take place it will be a quiet one, according to the present plans of the couple. Mr. Train is a holiday guest at the home of his fiancée on Red Cross Avenue, where Mrs. Gerard was the recipient of many congratulations yesterday.

Colonel Samuel G. Shartle, commanding officer of Fort Adams, and Mrs. Shartle have gone to Portland, Me., for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Eppley entertained at their home, Beacon Rock, yesterday.

Mrs. Parker, wife of General James Parker, U. S. A., has begun the supplying of the Newport County Jail with a library in memory of her son. The first instalment of the books was given to the jail as a Christmas present.

Lake Placid.

Hundreds of people are flocking to Lake Placid each day. Weather conditions are ideal for Winter sports. Many young people from colleges and preparatory schools throughout the United States will attend the Lake Placid Club next week when the annual college week's festivities will take place.

The President Harding and Marshal Foch Trophies will be contested for by representatives from more than a dozen leading colleges. In addition the Williams College and Yale University hockey teams will play a series of games here during the week.

Scores of New Yorkers have reached Lake Placid this week and hundreds more are expected the first of next week to spend New Year's Day here.

Nicholas Putnam, son of the late Major and Mrs. Israel Putnam, together with his brother, Carleton, and his sister, are among the guests at the club. Dr. James P. Warbasse of Brooklyn, President of the Cooperative League of America, and his family are occupying Karibou Cottage. United States District Attorney Emory R. Buckner and Mrs. Buckner of New York, accompanied by Michael F. Gallagher of Chicago, will arrive shortly. Percy Jackson of New York, a prominent member of the New York Skating Club, is here for a short stay. George C. Peck and family, also of New York, are spending the holidays at the club.

Other New York arrivals include Jonathan Bulkley and party of ten, Mrs. A. L. D. Warner, Philip Le Boutillier, former Judge John C. Clark, Philip V. Vanwick, Miss Charlotte S. Baker, Douglas L. Elliman, W. Wilson Holden, Mrs. E. I. Eldredge, Norman Johnson, Dr. Samuel W. Lambert, Mrs. William H. Schmidt, Mrs. J. H. McGraw, Mrs. Henry Heide Jr. and Paul Plunkett.

Others registered are W. L. Mellon, banker of Pittsburgh; E. M. Statler of the Statler Hotels, and Walworth Pierce of Boston.

Hot Springs.

The weather yesterday was cloudy and cold. Christmas Day received characteristic celebration both at the Homestead and the cottage colony, in the latter open house being the rule during the morning. An old-time feature of the village observance is the setting off of fireworks on the Green.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Cobb and Paul G. Truman and T. Kipp arrived from New York, the latter registering at the clubhouse. From other places came Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Pemberton and Dr. and Mrs. William W. Sweet, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, Newark; Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogerson Sparwell, Milton, Mass., and Frank F. Nicholas, Pittsburgh. Mr. and Mrs. David Bortin arrived from Philadelphia and were in the saddle yesterday morning. Holiday arrivals include Mrs. Gustav Lindermeier, the Misses Lunny and Miss A. M. Boyd; also S. C. Lamport, the latter to join Mrs. Lamport and the Misses Felicia and Sara Lamport. Edgar Park is at Boxwood, from New York, for the holidays with Mrs. Park. Mr. and Mrs. Fay Ingalls and their family had their first Christmas yesterday at their new house on Covington Mountain. It has been named The Yard, from the feature of the place, the great court. Family dinners in the cottage colony were given by Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Arthur Kelly Evans, Dr. and Mrs. Guy Hinsdale, Mr. and Mrs. W. Sargent Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilde Gibbs, Major and Mrs. W. D. McKee Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Tate B. Sterrett. Alexander Lambert, pianist, of New York has registered for the cure. Members of the Newport colony at the special dinner served last night at the Homestead were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parson, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Hara Cosgrave, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore D. Price, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Crane and Miss Christine Crane, Mrs. Robert E. Bonner, Miss Kate Bonner, Kenneth Bonner, Frank T. Lawrence, R. E. Griggs and Chester Bromley.

Senator Hiram Bingham of Connecticut, Mrs. Bingham and their five sons were at the theatre last night.

White Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeBear are registered at the Greenbrier from New York for a fortnight's sojourn; Miss M. Meagher of Cincinnati arrived yesterday for a week's stay; William Korn, Robert Korn and David Mayer were New York arrivals.

Mrs. Finley Barrell and Miss Virginia Mann of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson of New York, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thurber and Miss Doris Thurber of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Citron of New York, Dr. Jospel Wals of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Lewis and Lawrence Lewis and S. L. Balmer were among those attending the annual Christmas party in the Greenbrier ballroom last night.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Mix are registered at the Greenbrier, joining the New York colony for a ten days' visit. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Iredell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert MacVeagh and Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Pogue, all of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Jackson of Charleston, W. Va., will join the Greenbrier colony for New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Durant entertained in the Greenbrier last night for Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Hicks of New York.

CHRISTMAS CHEER FOR DEBUTANTES

Miss Genevieve Fox Greeted at a Dance Given by Morgan J. O'Brien Jr. at Pierre's.

PARTY FOR RUTH KINGSBURY

Brides of the Season and Young Men Out in Force at Colony Club—Margaret Straus Presented.

Christmas dances for débutantes were given last night by Morgan J. O'Brien Jr. at Pierre's for his niece, Miss Genevieve Fox, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyttleton Fox, of this city and Southampton, L. I., and by Colonel and Mrs. Howard Thayer Kingsbury at the Colony Club for their daughter, Miss Ruth Kingsbury. Christmas greens, holly and poinsettias were used for decorations at each dance.

The dance for Miss Fox, who is a granddaughter of former Justice and Mrs. Morgan J. O'Brien, and of Mrs. Edward C. Fox of this city, was essentially a young people's party, the guests including many of the débutantes of this and last season, and the usual dancing men. Among them were Countess Alexandrine von Beroldinger, the Misses Constance Fox, Peggie Phipps, Ruth Pruyn, Gladys Arden Kane, Margaret Hatch, Phyllis Byrne, Bertha Benkard, Kathleen Baker, Betty Condon, Edyth C. Elliman, Margaret G. Brett, Natalie Peters, Katherine Murchison, Anne King Carley, Harriot Coffin, Bessie Morgan Belmont, Marjorie de L. Oelrichs, Madeleine F. Burke, Mary Atwell, Suzanne Armstrong, Rosamond Auchincloss, Katherine Vernon Brown, Claire Birge, Helen Choate, Katherine Comly, Elizabeth Drummond, Mallory Davis, Ruth Fahnestock, Mary Chester, Victoria Frelinghuysen, Mildred Fahnestock, Elizabeth Gay.

Kathleen van Heukelom, Adelaide Hutton, Nancy Glave, Paula Murray, Virginia H. Cowperthwaite, Julia Brokaw, Noel Chatillon, Elizabeth Kendall, Donothy Ledyard, Virginia Morris, Lucy Gurnee, Cathleen Gruner, Sophie Gay, Jane Hamilton Brady, Sylvia Brewster, Rosalind Barnum, Marion Le B. Browne, Mimi Brokaw, Alexandra Dalziel, Priscilla Dodge, Lydia E. Dadmun, Rosalie Evans, Helene O. Edmonds, Grace Hays, Mary Holland, Marguerite Jay, Mary Keogh, Rosalie Knapp, Frances Kelley, Joan Kaufman, Lydia Look, Gwendolyn Lewis, Miriam Miller, Patricia Mallinson, Bay Morris, Jean Olcott, Josephine H. Willcox, Adele Walker, Natalie Ryan.

Frederica Stevens, Judith Shearer, Mary Catherine Whitney, Helen Ward, Katharine Steele, Gwendolyn Wright Talbot, Marian Wickes, Alixe Walker, Anne Petrasch, Polly Potter, Carol Silvester, Virginia Simmons, Phyllis Thompson, Susan Tilton, Nancy Voorhees, Kathleen von Gontard, Consuelo Vanderbilt, Lilian Tingue, Curgie Winchester, Janet Williams, Eugenie Woodruff, Elizabeth Woodward and Helen Weekes.

The Young Men Guests.

Among the young men were Holmes Crimmins, Archibald Alexander, William A. M. Burden, Franklin Benkard, William Astor Chanler Jr., Henry Ives Cobb 3d, James Cox Brady Jr., James A. Burden Jr., John W. Delafield, Cornelius R. Agnew Jr., Charles S. Haight Jr., Casper de Gersdorff, O. Harry Gruner Jr., William Carter Dickerman Jr., Percy R. Pyne Jr., John W. Mackay, Oliver La Farge 2d, John Livermore, Martin Van Beuren Morris, Robert W. Ryle, James A. O'Gorman, Stuyvesant Morris Pell, William H. Hays Jr., Robert Emmons 3d, Ogden Goelet, George Trowbridge Elliman, A. Townsend Gray, William W. Hoppin, Frederic R. Pratt, George Sloane, Bayard Schieffelin, Archibald Thacher Jr., Henry A. Wilmerding Jr., Alexander H. Tiers, Henry L. Satterlee Jr., A. Coster Schermerhorn, Cornelius S. Lee Jr., John Clarkson Potter, John T. Lawrence, Henry Parish 2d and Earl E. T. Smith.

Also John L. Riker, William R. Potts, William Raymond Jr., Charles D. Draper, Ernest Iselin Jr., Lawrence K. Jennings, Frederic G. Hoppin, Hugh Keogh, Morgan Grace, Nathaniel Howe, Thomas Denny Jr., John Cross Jr., C. Shelby Carter, Eugene L. Delafield Jr., Frederick Childs, George C. Clark 3d, Carter B. Carnegie, Dudley G. Bird, G. Morgan Browne Jr., Benjamin Brewster, Francis McNeill Bacon 3d, Frederick O. Beach, John W. Blodgett Jr., William T. Adee and Henry S. Cram.

Several dinners were given in advance of Colonel and Mrs. Kingsbury's dance. They gave one at the Colony Club for their daughter. Their other guests were Dr. and Mrs. Forbes Hawkes, the Misses Nancy Watson, Priscilla Nickerson, Helen Beals, Alberta du Pont, Geraldine Boardman and Elizabeth Crispin. Also Moreau D. Brown, Selwyn Stanley, Thornton Greene, John Taylor, Byron Sloane, John Hempstead, John Weeks and Howard Thayer Kingsbury Jr.

Entertain for Miss Nichols.

Another one of the dinners was given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walter Nichols at Pierre's for their daughter, Miss Kathleen Nichols, a débutante of last year, who recently returned from a year's study abroad. The other guests were the Misses Florine Dana, Althea Ward, Arthemise Ottmann, Eva Taylor, Martha Macy and Jane Houghtaling. Also Shirley Peck, Charles Holt, Donald Beals, Albert Bascom Jr., Byron May, Stuart Coxhead and Ralph Coxhead.

Among other guests of Colonel and Mrs. Kingsbury for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. William G. Low 3d, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin J. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart C. Edmonde, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Payson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Salambier Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Van Rensselaer, Mr. and Mrs. David H. Houghtaling, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Colona, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Stokes Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cory, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barclay McKee, Mr. and Mrs. George L. K. Newbold, Mr. and Mrs. Jordan L. Mott 3d.

Also the Misses Elizabeth Bacon, Helen Kingsbury Curtis, Priscilla Dickerson, Rosalie Evans, Consuelo Gimbernat, Ruth Fahnestock, Marion Gould, Dorothy Jewell, Margaret Lesher, Jean Olcott, Virginia Pratt, Dorothy R. Quigley, Frances Seymour, Helen Train, Edith and Elizabeth Woodward, Rosamond Auchincloss, Mary B. Averill, Eugenie Woodruff, Elizabeth Van Rensselaer Voislawsky, Margaret Hatch, Charlotte and Narcissa Vanderlip, Dorothy Havemeyer, Miriam Bradley, Mary and Rita Delafield, Edyth Elliman, Patty C. Pease, Mildred Thayer, Dorothy Wilmerding, Julie H. Witherspoon, Anne Baker, Ruth Baker, Helene Edmonde, Violet Tangeman, Theodora Thorpe, Rosamond Bowker, Edith Colby, Katherine Fuller, Lillian Bostwick, Kathleen Hayward, Sylvia Brewster, Elizabeth Hunt, Julia Shearer, Victoria Buel, Phyllis Byrne and Eleanor Lee Flagg.

Others were the Misses Lois McCall, Paula Murray, Marjorie de L. Oelrichs, Mary Rawlins, Frances Riker, Mary McKesson, Margaret Metcalf, Frances Sedgwick, Louise Burton Laidlaw, Elizabeth Sherman, Dorothy Milburn, Barbara Schieffelin, Mary Moore Remick, Lydia Merrill, Frances Miller, Cornelia Ruppert, Leila Morgan, Janet Lee, Gladys A. Kane, Joan Kaufman, Josefa Hofmann, Virginia Kellogg and Eleanor Hawke.

Among the men were Cornelius R. Agnew Jr., Donald Agnew, Simeon B. Chapin Jr., William Butler Duncan Jr., Albert Ashforth Jr., George T. Elliman, Giraud Foster Jr., Charles Hewitt, William W. Hoppin Jr., T. Bayard James, Varick Stout, Delano Ames, Charles Haight Jr., Francis K. Thayer, Guthrie Willard, J. Nevett, N. Steele 3d, Morgan H. Grace Jr., Benjamin Brewster, Francis La Farge, Gordon Knox Bell Jr., Godfrey Connfelt, Elliott Darlington, William A. M. Burden, Edward C. Delafield Jr., John P. Kellogg, Philip Lewis and James Roosevelt.

Miss Straus Introduced.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel S. Straus of 26 East Eighty-third Street gave a dance last night at the Ritz-Carlton to introduce their daughter, Miss Margaret Straus. The large ballroom was used for the dancing and the main restaurant for the supper, which was served at midnight. At the débutante's table were her sister, Mrs. Henry Goldman Jr., the Misses Lucy Prince, Elizabeth Milhelser, Eleanor Kridel, Frances Lehman, Jane Hilder, Katherine Elkus and Mildred Wimpfheimer; also Lewis Gimbel Jr., Adam Gimbel, Ferdinand Straus, Paul Warburg, Robert Lehman, Robert Straus, Albert Stern Jr., Richard Bondy, John Loeb, John Reckford and Lionel F. Straus Jr.

Mrs. Chris C. Hupfel of 299 Park Avenue gave a reception yesterday afternoon at the Park Lane.

JUNIOR GUILD TEA TODAY.

Proceeds of Annual Party Go to Association for the Poor.

The Junior Guild of New York, whose members are recruited from season to season from among the sub-débutantes, will give a tea dance this afternoon in the ballroom of the Park Lane, the proceeds of which will go to the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. This will be the fourth of a series of such entertainments, the date of which has been the same each year. The dance of last season netted $1,600. There will be music by Miss Anna Byrne's orchestra.

The officers of the guild are: Miss May Swords, President; Miss Evelyn Fahnestock, Secretary, and Miss Blanchette Hooker, Treasurer. Other members are the Misses Katharine Barnes, Lucie Bedford, Elizabeth Bliss, Helen Brown, Lucy Buck, Constance Dane, Mary Davis, Nada de Braganza, Denyse de Zerman, Priscilla Fairchild, Emily Frelinghuysen, Beatrice Greenough, Dorothy Jane Imbrie, Katharine Jones, Elizabeth Litchfield, Susan Moore, Gwendolyn Roome, Polly Rousmaniere, Margaret Sparrow, Elizabeth Stickney, Janet Stone, Barbara Stout, Diantha Walker, Rhoda Walker, Rosalie Watson and Sarita Weekes.

WASHINGTON THORN FAILS.

No Blooms This Christmas on Historic Tree at Mount St. Albans.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The Glastonbury thorn at Mount St. Albans, where Woodrow Wilson is buried, did not bloom this Christmas. There is no sign even of buds. Since the thorn usually has bloomed before Christmas in the past, it is believed it will not bloom this year at all.

The parent thorn tree in Glastonbury, England, was cut down by Puritans in Cromwell's time for blooming regularly at Christmas. They thought its blooming was in some way connected with the legend of Joseph of Arimathea, in whose tomb Christ was buried. According to legend, Joseph fled to Britain and established a church at Glastonbury.

The church, in which King Arthur was buried, was destroyed by fire, rebuilt and destroyed again. After it was destroyed the last time the thorn tree sprang up near by.

The cutting from the tree was presented to the Washington Cathedral about twenty years ago by the Bishop of Bath and Wells. It was a sprout from the old thorn. It has grown into a 15-foot tree.

DINNERS AT EMBASSY CLUB.

Given by Wilsons, Menkens and Miss Gordon and Mr. Bamboschek.

Dinners were given last night at the Embassy Club by Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. S. Stanwood Menken; also by Miss Jeanne Gordon and Giuseppe Bamboschek of the Metropolitan Opera.

Among the guests at the combined dinners were Count and Countess Dru de Mongelas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Thieriot, Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Adair, Mrs. Georgine Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Tullio Serafin, Prince and Princess Georges Matchabelli, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Giuseppi de Luca, F. Sailer Harvey, Carle Edwards, Alexander Dru, Miles Vernon, William M. Sullivan, Prince Romanowsky, John McMullin, and Richard Hill. Others came after dinner for dancing and supper.

WEDDING IN NIGHT COURT.

Couple Insists Woman Tie Knot and Magistrate Baright Does It.

Max Carl Gramlich, 23 years old, of 1,050 Third Avenue, and Eve Marie Mazza, 20 years old, of 318 East Twenty-fourth Street, wanted to be married on Christmas Day by a woman, and Magistrate Clarice M. Baright, woman magistrate, performed the ceremony five minutes before last midnight in Night Court. It was said to be the first wedding at which a woman member of the city bench ever officiated.

Gramlich, it was learned in the court room, has no job and no money, but his wife had a position as a secretary. She, it was said, intended tohelp him find work.

Artillery Veterans to Celebrate.

In commemoration of the 111th anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans, which brought to a termination the second War for American Independence, the Veteran Corps Artillery, New York Military Society, War of 1812, will give a dinner and dance on the night of Jan. 8 in the grand ballroom of the Biltmore. The Committee of Arrangements includes Colonel Charles Elliot Warren, Chairman; Lieut. Col. Bryce Metcalfe, Major Chandler Smith, Major Louis Hays Dos Passs, Captain Norman F. Cushman and Lieutenant Pell Thompson.

Belgian Princess Passes in Music.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Princess Marie José, 19-year-old daughter of King Albert and Queen Elizabeth, has gained recognition of her exceptional talent as a violinist. She has just passed "with great distinction" an examination "of the upper class, first degree", given by the Belgian School of Music. The young princess is known not merely as a gifted musician but during the recent absence of the King and Queen in India proved herself to be a hostess of distinction, presiding at official receptions for the family.

Charles Parsons Host at a Tea.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Dec. 25.—One of the largest social events today in New Rochelle was the tea given by Charles Parsons of Lyncroft Road. More than 100 of the younger set of this city, the Pelhams and Larchmont attended.

New Yorker Heads Phi Sigma Delta.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 (AP).—E. Weinfeld, New York lawyer, was elected National President of the Phi Sigma Delta fraternity here today.

ALBANIAN PRINCESS VLORA TO WED AGAIN

Former Wife of Prince Noureddin to Marry Next Month Oscar M. Burke.

TO BE FOURTH MARRIAGE

Widow of R. H. Thomas and Once Wife of F. J. Gould Is Granddaughter of Eugene Kelly.

Princess Helen Vlora, former wife of Prince Noureddin Vlora of Albania and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelly of this city, will be married for the fourth time early next month to Oscar M. Burke of 116 East Fifty-third Street, it was learned yesterday. Princess Vlora was the widow of Ralph Hill Thomas, her second husband, and is the former wife of Frank J. Gould.

The Princess arrived from Europe, where she has been making her home for several years, on the Majestic six weeks ago. At that time she announced that she had come to America for a visit of six weeks, after which she would return to St. Moritz for the Winter sports.

Prince Vlora's home was at Valona, Albania, at the time of his marriage to the then Mrs. Thomas in the Municipal Building in 1917. He is a son of his late Highness, Ferid Vlora Pasha, Vizier of Turkey under Abdul Hamid. He is now Mayor of a small town in Albania, the Princess said on her recent arrival here.

Wed Frank J. Gould When 17.

When she was 17 years old the present Princess Vlora was married to Frank J. Gould. They were divorced in 1909. There were two children by this marriage, Helen and Dorothy Gould, who were for many years in the care of their aunt, Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, and who have both been married and are now the Baroness de Montenach and Baroness de Graffenried de Villars respectively.

A year after her divorce Mrs. Gould married Ralph H. Thomas, who was in the sugar trade and wealthy. By marrying the second time she sacrificed half of her $40,000 alimony. Mr. Thomas died of pneumonia on New Year's eve, 1914.

Princess Vlora is the granddaughter of the late Eugene Kelly, a prominent financier of his generation, and a sister of Mrs. Al Davis, formerly Miss Eugenia Kelly. She and Prince Vlora were divorced in 1922.

To be Burke's Second Marriage.

This will be Mr. Burke's second marriage. In 1913 he was married to Miss Edna Marston and they have since been divorced. She is now Mrs. R. Livingston Beeckman. Mr. Burke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Burke of this city.

Mr. Burke said last night that the wedding would take place in this city. It will be witnessed only by members of the families and close friends, as Princess Vlora is in mourning for her mother who died recently. The couple will leave soon after the ceremony for a wedding trip to Europe and will later return to make their home in this city.

W. H. McALISTER DIES.

Former Tobacco Man Hurt in Fall Over Rug in His Home.

William H. McAlister, a retired tobacco manufacturer, who tripped and fell over a rug Tuesday in his home at 210 West Ninetieth tSreet, died yesterday at the Post Graduate Hospital in his seventy-eighth year.

Mr. McAlister, who retired ten years ago as Secretary of the American Tobacco Company, was believed to have been recovering. He had been ill before this Fall, and the immediate cause of his death was said to have been the forming of a blood clot on the brain.

He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. A. T. Upshur, and one brother, John, who lives in the South. Funeral services will be held Monday at 11 A. M. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

DR. EDWARD HITCHCOCK DIES

Former Member of Amherst Faculty Was Son of Prof. Hitchcock.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 25.—Dr. Edward Hitchcock of Amherst, Mass., since 1904 visiting physician for the State Board of Charities, died here today. He was 71 years old. He was graduated from Amherst College in 1878 and from Dartmouth Medical College in 1881.

For two years he was a member of the Amherst Faculty, and from 1884 until 1901 Professor of Physical Education at Cornell University. He was a grandson of the Rev. Edward Hitchcock, third President of Amherst, and a son of Professor Edward Hitchcock, head of the Department of Physical Education at the same college.

Edward Gray Rust.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Dec. 25 (AP).—Edward Gray Rust, 56, widely known steel engineer, died at his home here today. He invented a boiler bearing his name and was a former member of the United States Shipping Board.

Dr. Myers's Funeral on Monday.

Funeral services for Dr. Thaddeus Halsted Myers will be held at 11 o'clock Monday morning in St. Thomas's Church, Fifth Avenue and Fifty-third Street. The honorary pallbearers will be Dr. Samuel W. Lambert, Dr. Harry Lyle, Dr. Edward B. Dench, Dr. Frederick Matthews, Louis Hay and Philip Golden Bartlett. Interment will take place in Greenwood Cemetery. Dr. Myers died Thursday in his apartment in the Hotel Gotham at the age of 66.

Dies in Fall Down Elevator Shaft.

Stepping into the open shaft of a freight elevator in the Manhasset apartment house, 301 West 108th Street, yesterday afternoon, Allan Finley, 26 years old, a negro, of 2,400 Seventh Avenue, fell from the eighth floor into the basement, dying of a fractured skull and internal injuries. In the man's pocket were found Christmas envelopes containing a small amount of money.

Obituary Notes.

JOHN GOODE, a lawyer, who had practiced in this city for twenty-five years, died suddenly yesterday of apoplexy at his residence, 329 East Fifty-eighth Street, aged 61. He graduated at Columbia College in 1882. His sister, Elizabeth Goode, survives.

Mrs. ETHEL ROSE HAYDEN, wife of Edward Hayden, confidential secretary of William G. McAdoo when the latter was Secretary of the Treasury, died yesterday in Los Angeles, aged 27.

AMY LEE DEAD.

Once Prominent Actress, Dies in a Philadelphia Hospital at 63.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 25 (AP).—Amy Lee, prominent actress of a generation ago, died today in the Frankfort Hospital after a brief illness. She was 63 years old.

Amy Lee was one of the last actresses to star as a "soubrette," a part that was a fixture in old-time melodrama. She was known from coast to coast for her work in such plays as "Fogg's Ferry" and "Pawn Ticket No. 210." Ill health forced her to retire from the stage twenty years ago. She entered the Forrest Home for Aged Actors some years later and had lived there until she was taken to the hospital a week ago.

Died.

ALEXANDRE—Jerome, suddenly, on Dec. 24, at Albuquerque, N. M., in his fortieth year, son of Nathalie Alexandre and the late James Joseph Alexandre. Funeral private.

BERRY—Mary, at Westwood, N. J., on Dec. 24, 1925, beloved sister of Samuel Berry. Funeral services at her late residence, 40 Mill St., on Saturday, Dec. 26, at 4 P. M. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

BROOKS—Thursday, Dec. 24, James Robert, beloved father of Marion Simonson, Marjorie Nixon and Elizabeth Meyer, in his sixty-third year. Funeral services at Campbell's Funeral Church, Sunday, Dec. 27, at 10 A. M.

BROWN—At Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 25, 1925, J. Wood Brown of the Bellevue. Relatives and friends are invited to the services on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the Oliver H. Bair Building, 1,820 Chestnut St., Philadelphia. Interment at Milton, Pa., on Tuesday.

BUCK—At Saranac Lake, N. Y., Dec. 23, 1925, in his fifty-fourth year, Thomas Corner Buck, beloved husband of Jeanette Fernandez and son of Elizabeth G. Buck and the late Thomas C. Buck. Interment Kensico Cemetery, Valhalla, N. Y. Baltimore papers please copy.

BURKE—Joseph J., on Dec. 24, 1925. Funeral will take place Saturday morning, Dec. 26, at 11 o'clock, from the Church of the Holy Child Jesus, Richmond Hill.

BUTLER—Max, beloved father of Arthur, Friday afternoon at his residence, 515 West 156th. Funeral service will be held at Meyers's Chapel, 228 Lenox Av., Sunday, 11 A. M.

BUTLER—Max. Shakespeare Lodge, No. 750, F. and A. M. Brethren: Sorrowful announcement is made of the death of our late Tiler, Brother Max Butler, and life member of our lodge. Masonic funeral from Meyers's Funeral Chapel, 228 Lenox Av., on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 11 A. M.

RALPH J. FRANK, Master.
ABRAM FRANK, Secretary.

BUTLER—Loyalty Lodge, No. 876, F. and A. M.: Brothers you are requested to attend the funeral of our Tiler, Brother Max Butler, on Sunday morning, Dec. 27, at 10:30 o'clock, from Meyers's Funeral Parlor, 228 Lenox Av.

SIDNEY MANDELL, Master.
SAMUEL W. FAUER, Secretary.

COLL—At Allenhurst, N. J., suddenly, on Dec. 23, 1925, Florence Smith Coll, beloved wife of Christopher T. Coll and daughter of Mrs. Reuben R. Smith. Funeral services on Saturday, Dec. 26, 1:30 P. M., at her late residence, 219 Corlies Av.

CONAY—Rebecca Leah, 1,925 7th Av., beloved mother of Mrs. Anna Newkorn, Mrs. Rose Davis, Mrs. Cecelia Chorosh, Max, Michael, Daniel, Louis and Charles, entered into eternal rest on Friday, Dec. 25. Funeral services at Meyer's Chapel, 228 Lenox Av. on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 1 P. M. Interment Riverside Cemetery, Rochelle Park, N. J. Kindly omit flowers.

CONWELL—On Thursday, Dec. 24, Mary C. (nee Madden), beloved wife of Stephen E., at her residence, 1,111 Carroll St., Brooklyn, Monday, at 8:30 A. M. Thence to the Church of St. Ignatius, Carroll St. and Rogers Av., where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Kingston, N. Y.

DRIGGS—On Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1925, Teresa, at her residence, 279 Washington Av., Brooklyn, age 76 years, widow of the late Silas Wright Driggs and mother of Frederick E. and Alice A. Driggs. Funeral services at the above residence, Saturday, Dec. 26, at 2 P. M. Interment at convenience of family.

EGLESTON—Jane Shelton Dunbar, wife of Melville Egleston, at Elizabeth, N. J., on Christmas Day. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FELTER—Laura DeRonde, wife of Dr. R. R. Felter, on Dec. 24, 1925, in her sixty-sixth year. Funeral services at her late home, Pearl River, N. Y., on Sunday, Dec. 27, 1925, at 2 P. M. Interment at Oak Hill Cemetery, Nyack, N. Y.

FULLING—At Tuckahoe, N. Y., on Dec. 23, 1925, Henry F., aged 52 years, beloved husband of Matilda K. Fulling, son of Anna S. and father of Edmund H. Fulling. Funeral services at his late home, 205 White Plains Road, corner of Hobart St., Sunday afternoon, 2 o'clock sharp. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

GIDEON—Isaac. Noah Benevolent Society: Sorrowful announcement is made of the death of our late brother. Officers and members are requested to attend the funeral on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 11 A. M., from his late residence, 11 Madeline Parkway, Yonkers, N. Y.

HERMAN BRAND, President.
MEYER SAAL, Secretary.

GLOVER—William Stewart, beloved husband of Leonore, dear father of William and David, at Vineland, N. J., Dec. 24. Funeral Fairchild's Parlors, 86 Lefferts Place, near Grand Av., Brooklyn, Sunday, 3 P. M. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

GOODMAN—Myer, of Hamilton Place Hotel, devoted husband of Lizzie (nee Levy) and dear father af Hannah Weiss, Flora Rubens, Maurice and Lester and brother of Max, Lizzie Appel, Julie Lederer and the late Henry Goodman. Services at Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., Sunday, Dec. 27, at 10 A. M. Brothers of Emanuel Lodge, 654, F. and A. M., and brothers of Mount Vernon Lodge, Free Sons of Israel, are invited to attend.

GOODMAN—Myer. Emanuel Lodge, No. 654, F. and A. M. Brethren: You are requested to attend the funeral services of our late brother, Myer Goodman, on Sunday morning, Dec. 27, at 10 o'clock, at Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., New York City.

H. H. SHANHOLT, Master.
HIRAM COHEN, Secretary.

GOODMAN—Brotherhood of Israel: Officers and members are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, Myer Goodman. Services at Meyers's Funeral Parlors, 228 Lenox Av., on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 10 A. M.

SAMUEL ROTHENBERG, President.
M. M. RAPPAPORT, Secretary.

GOURD—Alphonse, of Lyons, France, in his seventy-eighth year. Requiem mass at Church of St. Vincent de Paul, 23d St., near 6th Av., at 10 A. M., Monday, Dec. 28, 1925.

GRAHAM—Dec. 24, 1925, at his residence, 246 Mortimer Av., Rutherford, N. J., James, beloved husband of Mary J. Graham. Funeral services Church of the Strangers, 57th St. and 8th Av., New York City, Sunday, 12:30 P. M.

GREENE—On Thursday, Dec. 24, 1925, Pleasance Eleanor Greene, wife of Eugene E. Greene, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lola E. Walker, 361 Stuyvesant Av., Brooklyn, N. Y. Services will be held at the above address on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment private.

GROSVENOR—Aerielle Frost Grosvenor. Funeral from August Eickelburg Parlor, 934 8th Av., between 55th and 56th Sts., New York City, today, Saturday, Dec. 26, at 12:30 P. M., for burial at Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

HERRMANN—On Dec. 24, 1925, Theodore L., beloved husband of Lillian Herrmann. Funeral private.

HERRMANN—Theodore L. At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society (Orphan Asylum) held this 25th day of December, 1925, at the residence of its President, Adolph Lewisohn, at 881 5th Av., the directors resolved to record their sentiments upon the untimely death of their esteemed co-laborer and director, Theodore L. Herrmann:

We, the directors of the Orphan Asylum, have just learned with deep and heartfelt sorrow, and a profound sense of personal loss, of the untimely demise of our friend and colleague, Theodore L. Herrmann, who for upward of twenty years has faithfully and loyally served the dependent children entrusted to our care, and has handled very many important subjects, both legal and social, connected with child care with exceptional efficiency and painstaking consideration, and was ever ready to give both personal service and of his means to alleviate suffering among the poor and needy families with whom we are ever coming in contact in the activities to which our efforts and service are dedicated. To his bereaved widow and children the Board of Directors, collectively and individually, extend their sincere and heartfelt sympathy, and pray our Heavenly Father to endow them with both strength and resignation to endure the great loss they have sustained in the death of an exemplary husband and father.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be inscribed in the minutes of this Orphan Asylum, and an engrossed copy transmitted to the bereaved family.

ADOLPH LEWISOHN, President.
SAMUEL D. LEVY, Vice President.

Died.

HESSE—On Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1925, after a lingering illness, Herman D. Hesse, beloved husband of Gesine Hesse (nee Nordbruch) and father of Alvina and Helen Hesse. Funeral service at his late residence, 2,567 Davidson Av., Bronx, on Saturday evening, Dec. 26, at 8:30 o'clock. Interment private.

HOE—Suddenly, on Dec. 22, Richard March Hoe, son of the late Peter S. and Hannah M. Hoe, in his seventy-seventh year. Funeral services at St. James Church, Madison Av. and 71st St., Saturday, Dec. 26, at 10 o'clock. Interment at convenience of family.

HOLME—Suddenly, on Fifth-day, Twelfth Month, twenty-fourth, 1925, F. Marion, beloved daughter of Charles E. and Mary F. Holme, at her residence, 1,331 Sterling Place, Brooklyn; she is also survived by four sisters. Funeral services at the Friends' Meeting House, 110 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn, at 2:30 P. M., on Seventh-day, Twelfth Month, twenty-sixth.

JEFFERY—Frances Campbell, suddenly, on Christmas morning, at Miami, Fla., beloved wife of Frank Moore Jeffery.

KENDRICK—On Thursday, Dec. 24, 1925, at her residence, 321 Garfield Place, Brooklyn, Fanny, widow of the late Charles Kendrick, in her eighty-seventh year. Funeral private.

KIPP—On Dec. 25, at her home in Tenafly, N. J., Rachel Naugle, wife of James Kipp. Funeral private.

KOHRING—William H., on Dec. 24, 1925, in his seventy-eighth year. Services Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at his late residence, 1,651 Topping Av., near 173d St., Bronx. Interment private.

McALISTER—On Friday, Dec. 25, 1925, William H., beloved husband of Armantine R. McAlister. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 210 West 90th St., on Monday, Dec. 28, at 11 A. M.

McCAFFREY—Frank, on Thursday, Dec. 24, 1925, beloved husband of the late Margaret McCaffrey (nee Murray) and beloved father of Frank J., Eugene S. and Mrs. George A. Brown. Funeral from 597 Lexington Av., Monday, Dec. 28, 9 A. M. Requiem mass at Church of St. Ignatius Loyola, 84th St. and Park Av., at 10 A. M. Interment Calvary. Automobile cortege.

McNERNEY—Carrie Fox, beloved wife of George T. McNerney and devoted mother of Lottie Rothschild, Charles D., William J., Dave Fox and Herbert McNerney, at her residence, 255 West 88th. Funeral at convenience of family. London (England) papers please copy.

MORGAN—Suddenly on Dec. 24, 1925, Elizabeth J. Morgan. Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, James T. Barmen, 37 Emory Street, Jersey City, on Saturday, Dec. 26, 1925, at 1 P. M. Interment at Hazelwood Cemetery, Rahway, N. J., on Saturday, Dec. 26, 1925, at 3:30 P. M.

MOSES—On Dec. 24, Bertha, widow of Raphael, darling mother of Ismer, Louis and Robert Morse, Selma Goldberg, Lucy Hano and the late Sigmund Morse. Funeral services at the West End Funeral Chapel, 200 West 91st St., Sunday, Dec. 27, at 11 A. M.

MUNSON—Emily Wood, on Dec. 25, 1925, wife of the late Walter D. Munson and beloved mother of Mrs. John E. Coyle, Carlos W., Frank C. and Beulah B. Munson and Mrs. William H. Wood. Funeral services at her residence, 220 New York Av., Brooklyn, on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 3:30 P. M. Interment Litchfield, Conn.

MYERS—On Thursday, Dec. 24, 1925, at the Hotel Gotham, Dr. T. Halsted Myers, in his sixty-seventh year. Funeral services at St. Thomas's Church, 5th Av. and 53d St., on Monday, Dec. 28, at 11 A. M. Interment at convenience of family.

OBERMAYER—Entered into rest on Dec. 24, Charles J. Obermayer, beloved husband of Ida B. Sabin, of Shore Road and 99th St., Brooklyn, in his fifty-seventh year. Funeral services at the 12th St. Dutch Reformed Church, 12th St., between 4th and 5th Avs., Brooklyn, Sunday, Dec. 27, at 2 P. M. Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

ROSS—At New Brunswick, N. J., Dec. 25, 1925, Robert E., husband of Louise Deshler Ross. Funeral private.

READ—On Tuesday, Dec. 22, 1925, at his home, 7 Elk St., Albany, N. Y., Harmon Pumpelly Read, son of the late General and Mrs. John Meredith Read. Funeral services at St. Peter's Church, Albany, N. Y., on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Paris and London papers please copy.

REID—On Thursday, Dec. 24, 1925, Sarah R. (nee McBride), widow of the late Samuel L. Reid, aged 71 years, of Brooklyn and Bradley Beach, N. J. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services at chapel in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sunday, at 3 P. M.

RYNO—At New Suffolk, L. I., on Dec. 24, 1925, Washington, son of the late Anson and Nancy L. Ryno. Funeral services at the Greenwood Cemetery Chapel, Monday, Dec. 28, at 1 o'clock.

SANSON—At East Orange, N. J., Dec. 23, 1925, Frances Grace, wife of the late Thomas J. Sanson. Funeral services at the home of her son, 42 Grove Road, South Orange, N. J., Saturday afternoon at 3:30.

SHEERIN—On Dec. 24, 1925, Mary E. Sheerin. Funeral Saturday from James F. Martin Funeral Parlor, 1,671 Amsterdam Av. Requiem mass at 10 A. M., at the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, on 142d St., near Amsterdam Av. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

SPAULDING—Major Hallon C., after a short illness, at the New York Hospital, Dec. 24. Interment in Lowell, Mass. Boston papers please copy.

SWAN—At Montclair, N. J., on Friday, Dec. 25, 1925, Henry C., husband of the late Virginia Rogers Swan, in his eighty-fourth year. Private service will be held at the home of his son, Mr. John J. Swan, Montclair, N. J., and at West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia, Pa.

TATTERSALL—At Ridgewood, N. J., Dec. 25, 1925, Elizabeth A., widow of Captain William K. Tattersall, age 90 years. Services on Sunday, 2 P. M., at her late residence, 15 Hope St. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, 11:30 A. M. Monday. St. Paul (Minn.) papers please copy.

THEYSON—On Dec. 24, 1925, Johanna, beloved wife of Louis Theyson. Services Saturday, 8 P. M., at her late residence, 203 6th Av., Brooklyn. Interment private, Greenwood Cemetery.

THOMAS—Robert Newton, suddenly, at his residence, 510 Audubon Av., Dec. 25. Notice of funeral later. Philadelphia papers please copy.

VALENTINE—James, born in Montrose, Scotland, died at his home, 364 Maolis Av., Glen Ridge, N. J., on Dec. 24, 1925, in his sixty-eighth year. Services at his late home Sunday, Dec. 27, at 3 o'clock. Train leaves Lackawanna, Hoboken, at 1:30. Interment private.

WEIL—At Philadelphia, Pa., on Dec. 23, 1925, Simon, husband of the late Rosina Weil and father of Aaron, Henry and Monroe Weil, Mrs. Sarah Cohen, Mrs. Barbara Rosenberg, Mrs. Felix Boehem and Mrs. Samuel Blaufeld. Funeral services Sunday, Union Field Cemetery, Cypress Hills, at 1 o'clock P. M.

WEIL—Mount Neboh Lodge, No. 257, F. and A. M. brethren are summoned to attend Masonic funeral services of our esteemed life member, Brother Simon Weil, late of Philadelphia, Sunday at 1 o'clock, at Union Fields Cemetery, Brooklyn.

PHILIP M. WASSERMAN, Master.
LOUIS JEROME, Secretary.

WEIL—Simon. Noah Benevolent Society: Sorrowful announcement is made of the death of our late brother. Officers and members are requested to attend the funeral on Sunday, Dec. 27, at 1 P. M., at Union Fields Cemetery, Long Island.

HERMAN BRAND, President.
MEYER SAAL, Secretary.

In Memoriam.

CASSAGNE—Leocadie Vieu. In memory of mother and sister, Dec. 26, 1924.

CLOTILDE C. RIGGLER, LEOCADIE V. WHITE, HENRY A. VIEU.

WENNER—In loving memory of Jacob Wenner, who departed this life Dec. 26, 1924.

SON, DAUGHTERS.

Unveiling.

HIRSH—Samuel. Unveiling of monument in loving memory of Samuel Hirsh, husband and brother, on Dec. 27, 1925, at Riverside Cemetery, Rochelle Park, N. J., at 2 P. M.

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SAYS CHINA'S HOPE IS IN HER WOMEN

Mrs. Plummer, Back From East, Declares Men Out of College Turn Only to Politics.

TAUGHT ART WORK TO GIRLS

Rescued Them From Powder Pits and Treadmills—Fears the Bolshevist Influence.

The salvation of China will come through the women and not the men, according to Mrs. Beatrice Hubbell-Plummer, an artist and designer, who has come to New York after six years spent in China.

"The young men, the college graduates, as soon as they return home," she said yesterday, "become politically ambitious and strive for the high places in politics, while the educated young women, who have been graduated from teachers' colleges and medical schools, return to their homes, roll up their sleeves, as the Western world says, and go to work. They give the benefit of their knowledge to their own people, and care for the sick and the children and babies. The salvation of China will come through such women."

Mrs. Plummer, as an American woman and after long residence in that country, says she believes there is no wiser and better way to establish international relations and to assist China than to help China to help herself by developing home industries.

Mrs. Plummer worked from Men Chow to Peking establishing what she terms "friendly international relationships" through the organization of settlement art classes.

Girls in Her Classes.

Arriving in a strange settlement, she would set up her blackboard, made from enamel paint, in some public place and draw pictures, from bumble-bees to giraffes, to get the people's attention. Out of this demonstration would be formed an art class. In many of her art classes were girls rescued from the gunpowder pits, where fire-crackers are made, from the water wheels, where they would tread all day long under a hot sun, and from the brothels. Through weaving on hand looms and embroidering she taught these girls how to help themselves and develop home industries, in many instances long forgotten.

In her apartment at the Hotel St. James, 109 West Forty-fifth Street, Mrs. Plummer exhibited samples of handwork made by the women and children of her art classes.

"I have not been in China as a missionary," continued Mrs. Plummer, "but I feel that I have helped along in the matter of international relationship through art and designing. I have visited the missionaries in various parts of China and they are performing a great service. It takes a great devotion to a cause, a big love, to do what these missionaries are doing to help the Chinese to help themselves.

"I'm afraid the trend of China is toward the Red. The riots at the various industrial centres last Spring seemed to have a wider implication than a mere question of wages and conditons of work. They savored unpleasantly of the code or creed associated with Moscow, which means ultimately the ruthless domination of the mass majority of Chinese by the fiendish Bolshevistic minority."

Mrs. Plummer, who is known in China as "Mai See Moo," had many thrilling experiences in the civil strife of the last few years.

Eludes Soldier Band.

"Once I was hidden among some rice sheaves by friendly Chinese at the approach of a company of soldiers. This was at Nan Ziang. I was warned that the soldiers were unpaid and might be up to some mischief. There was danger of my being taken and held for ransom.

"I spent two hours in those rice sheaves, and I could hear the soldiers as they passed, some singing in that falsetto voice heard so often in China. I had my little American flag with me, and my passport, and I planned what I should do if discovered, as I was fearful of being taken prisoner. But they passed on and so I escaped detection.

"But I soon became accustomed to the civil war in that country, and heads displayed everywhere soon became a familiar occurrence, although I nearly fainted when I saw the first head."

Mrs. Plummer studied art and designing in Berlin, London and Paris, especially Chinese art in woven tapestry, and went first to China to revive an ancient art which there, she said, predates the building of Solomon's Temple.

It is believed, she said, that the first historical silken pictures were woven in China for the Empress Sing Ling Chi as gift pieces, this Empress being credited with having given the world the first silk loom in 2640 B. C.

TO DEDICATE ZION CHURCH.

Bishop Stires Is to Officiate at Ceremony in Douglaston.

Zion Episcopal Church, Douglaston, L. I., will be consecrated tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock by Bishop Ernest M. Stires. The rector of Zion, the Rev. Robert M. W. Black, was a boyhood friend of Bishop Stires.

Zion Church was burned last Christmas time, but some of the timbers of the hundred-year-old structure were saved and are in the new building, which is said to be a perfect specimen of Colonial architecture. The new church is entirely free from debt. The sermon of Bishop Stires as well as the musical program by the mixed choir will be broadcast by the Grebe station WAHG.

MAHOMET'S TOMB WAS HIT.

Bullets Also Damaged the Mosque During the Siege of Medina.

BOMBAY, India, Dec. 25 (AP).—The tomb of Mahomet at Medina, Arabia, was hit by stray bullets and one minaret in the mosque of the Prophet was damaged, but reports that the dome was cracked during the siege of Medina by the Wahabi tribesmen are false.

This information is contained in a message sent to the Khalifate Committee by a deputation which is investigating conditions in the Hedjaz.

Two mosques were hit by shrapnel from guns of King Ali's forces. The tomb of Hamza, Mahomet's uncle, as well as other domes of tombs and historical monuments escaped damage.

The message adds that vast quantities of arms and ammunition and five wireless sets were captured by the Wahabis under command of Sultan Ibn Saoud.

MacDonald Sails From Marseilles.

MARSEILLES, France, Dec. 25 (AP).—J. Ramsay MacDonald, the former British Labor Premier, is proceeding on a visit to India. He went aboard ship at this port this afternoon ready for a long tour which may take him several months.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS IN RELIGIOUS FIELDS

The Cornerstone of One of the Smallest Churches in City to Be Laid Tomorrow.

TO GO UP IN "LITTLE ITALY"

American Society of Church History, Comprising Men of All Faiths, to Hold Annual Meeting.

The cornerstone of what will be the smallest church in New York City will be laid tomorrow afternoon. This will be the Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Crucifix, at 378 Broome Street. The ceremony will be at 3 o'clock. The officiating clergyman will be Mgr. Michael J. Lavelle, rector of St. Patrick's Cathedral. The structure will measure only 24 feet wide and 40 feet high. It will seat no more than 320 persons. Last year Cardinal Hayes instructed the Rev. Jerome E. Pasquarelli to establish a new parish in what is knorn as "Little Italy," to relieve the crowding of the other Catholic churches in that section. The little church will be the result of that.

The two "children's corners" recently completed in St. James's Episcopal Church, Madison Avenue and Seventy-first Street, will be dedicated tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. They are the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Eggert in memory of John Edgerton Eggert, their infant son, who died on Jan. 24, 1918. A children's manger service, when the girls and boys of the parish will bring gifts for the poor and place them in the manger, also will be held. The "corners" are in the baptistry of the church. One will be known as the "Prayer Corner" and the other the "Reading Corner." The former has a prayer desk small enough to fit the youngest child. The "Reading Corner" is fitted with a low table and two benches.

The American Society of Church History, which includes some prominent Catholic and Jewish scholars as well as Protestant, will hold its annual meeting on Monday in the directors' room of Union Theological Seminary, Broadway and 120th Street. In the morning Professor Shirley Jackson Case of the University of Chicago, President of the society, will make an address on "The Acceptance of Christianity by the Roman Emperors." Professor Patrick J. Healy of the Catholic University, Washington, will speak on "Mysticism of the School of St. Victor," explaining a noted medieval movement. Professor W. H. T. Dau, a Lutheran scholar of St. Louis, will read a paper on "The Delay of Luther's Departure from Worms After His Hearing Before the Diet." At 1:30 o'clock the members of the society will lunch at the Faculty Club of Columbia University. At 3:15 they will reassemble and elect officers. The following will read papers: Professor J. M. Kelso of the Wesley Collegiate Institute, Dover, Del.; Professor Hastings Eells of the Ohio Wesleyan University, the Rev. Theodore Carl Decker of Philadelphia, Dr. Edwin R. Goodenough of Yale.

The American Lutheran Statistical Association will be entertained by the Lutheran Ministers' Association of New York City during the annual meeting of the former organization on Jan. 11, 12 and 13 at St. James's Lutheran Church, Madison Avenue and Seventy-third Street. The Chairman of the Entertainment Committee is the Rev. Dr. Samuel Trexler, President of the Synod of New York and New England.

A class of twenty-five will be confirmed in the Episcopal Chapel of the Messiah (Colored), 206 East Ninety-fifth Street, by the Right Rev. Robert E. Campbell, recently consecrated as Episcopal Bishop of Liberia, Africa, tomorrow evening. The Rev. M. Norman Wilson, the vicar, who prepared the class, is a descendant of African royalty. He was born in Africa. He studied in the African university and in the General Episcopal Theological Seminary, this city.

The Bronx Union Y. M. C. A. will celebrate the tenth anniversary of its occupancy of its present building, 470 East 161st Street, beginning tomorrow. The principal event will be a dinner on Tuesday at which Chancellor Elmer Ellsworth Brown of New York University will speak. The religious services in connection with the anniversary will be held tomorrow afternoon.

A commission of five has been appointed to study the missionary policies and methods of the Unitarian fellowship and to make recommendations for their improvement. The commission was appointed by the directors of the American Unitarian Association. It consists of the following: The Rev. Adelbert L. Hudson, Dorchester, Mass.; Percy W. Gardner of Providence, R. I.; the Rev. Dr. A. Wakefield Slaten, minister of the West Side Unitarian Church, Manhattan; Milton E. Garvin of Lancaster, Pa.; the Rev. Preston Bradley of the Peoples' Church, Chicago.

At a meeting last Monday of the Executive Committee of the Committee of One Thousand, a national law enforcement organization, in the Downtown Club, it was voted to hold another annual dinner in this city, probably at the Waldorf. Carlton M. Sherwood, General Secretary of the New York State Christian Endeavor Union, was elected secretary to succeed the Rev. Harry Holmes, who resigned to accept a position on the staff of the World Alliance for Promoting Friendship through the Churches. It was voted to move the office of the committee from the United Charities Building to 66 Fifth Avenue.

Subscriptions amounting to $95,149.20 have been received from 304 members of the Brick Presbyterian Church, Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street, for the 1926 budget. This leaves $33,000 still to be raised and 225 of last year's subscribers still to be heard from.

TO GIVE A MIRACLE PLAY.

Symphony Society to Present Story of the Nativity Today.

The medieval custom of performing miracle plays will be revived by the Symphony Society of New York when Pierne's "Children of Bethlehem," a tale of the Nativity, will be presented this afternoon in Carnegie Hall and tomorrow afternoon in Mecca Temple. It will be staged by Walter Damrosch.

Six soloists and a chorus of 150 children will participate, supplemented by the entire orchestra.

P. Dodd Ackermann has designed the scenic effects, modeling the stable where the Christ Child lies after fifteenth century paintings of the Nativity. The costumes will be in keeping with the period. The Madonna will wear the traditional red robe and blue cloak as shown in the pictures of Botticelli and Raphael. Moorish and Saracenic attire will distinguish the three Kings of the East. The children will be in medieval dress.

Official Sunday News Sheet in Spain

MADRID, Dec. 25 (AP).—Newspaper men of Spain are rejoicing today over the sudden withdrawal by the Government of its previous demand for the publication of Sunday newspapers. Instead, the Government will publish an official news sheet containing important foreign and domestic news. The news sheet will be sold, and, as the Government is not permitted to profit by its sale, any pecuniary gains will go to charity. The decision of the Government was officially made known after an interview between Premier Primo de Rivera and a committee of newspaper men.

DEDICATE CARILLON IN PARK AV. TOMORROW

Special Program Will Be Given on Memorial Bells Donated by Rockefeller.

The carillon, which John D. Rockefeller Jr. gave in memory of his mother to the Park Avenue Baptist Church, at Sixty-fourth Street, and which was installed last Summer, will be dedicated tomorrow. It is expected that Mr. Rockefeller and his family will attend. The officiating clergyman will be the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Woelfkin, pastor of the church. He will be assisted by the Rev. Eugene C. Carder, his associate.

Souvenir programs will be issued containing the form of dedication, including the prayers to be offered, and a picture of the church and the largest bell, which weighs nine and one-half tons. A feature of the program will be a recital by Anton Brees, the Belgian carillonneur. Tomorrow evening from 7 to 7:30 o'clock there will be a dedication recital on the carillon.

The prayer Dr. Woelfkin will offer will have the following reference to Mr. Rockefeller's mother: "To thee we dedicate these bells with gratitude in our hearts for one whose name is memorialized in this gift. She being dead yet speaks; and resting from her labors, her works do follow her. We pray thy blessing upon the ministry of these bells; upon all who shall ring forth their songs and all who shall hear their comforting sounds."

CHURCH FUND FOR SICK POOR

Collections to Be Devoted to the United Hospital Fund.

The annual collection in churches and synagogues of New York City toward the cost of caring for the sick poor will be taken this evening and tomorrow. The United Hospital Fund, which is the successor to the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association, organized in 1879, is asking the churches to help raise $50,000 toward the $1,000,000 budget which it is seeking for the coming year.

In addition to the collections, many clergymen will speak on the care of the needy sick and of the community's responsibility toward them.

Baptist

CALVARY,
West 57th St., between 6th and 7th Avs.
DR. STRATON.
11:30 A. M.—"THE DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS."
3:30 P. M.—RADIO BIBLE CLASS, "IS GOD, AS REVEALED IN GENESIS, A GOOD SCIENTIST?"
8:00 P. M.—CURRENT TOPIC TALK, "THE NEED OF A NEW YEAR'S HOUSE-CLEANING AT CITY HALL; CAN WE WIN WITH WALKER?" SERMON SUBJEST, "ANOTHER CHANCE," "SUMMING UP."
Men of the city cordially invited to attend the Calvary Men's Bible Class at 10:30 A. M. Services broadcast over WHN.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH,
S. E. Cor. 92d St and Amsterdam Av.
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class. Preaching by
REV. WILBERT T. ELMORE, D. D.
11 A. M.—"A Startling New Year's Wish."
8 P. M.—"Theosophy and the New Messiah."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH,
Broadway and 79th St.
PASTOR, I. M. HALDEMAN, D. D.
11 A. M.—"WAS JESUS CHRIST ALMIGHTY GOD? DID HE PROVE OTHER WORLDS ARE INHABITED? DID HE RETURN TO THE HEAVENS TO PREPARE A DWELLING PLACE FOR HIS CHURCH AMONG THOSE WORLDS? IS HE COMING BACK TO TAKE THE CHURCH TO THIS DWELLING PLACE? DO ALL SIGNS INDICATE THE NEARNESS OF HIS COMING? IS THE DEITY OF CHRIST UNFAILING COMFORT FOR TROUBLED SOULS?" (John 14: 1-3.)
8 P. M.—"WILL CHRISTIANS BE LIKE CHRIST WHEN HE APPEARS IN GLORY? WILL THEY BE GOD-MEN ENDOWED WITH HIS POWERS? WILL HE COME FOR THEM SECRETLY BEFORE HE SHINES OUT WITH THEM IN GLORY?" (1 John, 3: 1-3.)
Friday Night, 8 o'Clock—Prayer and testimony meeting. Dr. Haldeman's Bible Exposition.

MADISON AVENUE BAPTIST,
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Pastor preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

MOUNT MORRIS BAPTIST,
5th Av., between 126th and 127th Sts.
Rev. HOWARD E. CLARKE, Minister.
11 A. M.—"Every Man Made His Own 1925. How Was Yours?"
Dec. 30th, 8 P. M.—Parish Christmas Party.
Dec. 31st, 8 P. M.—Watch Night Service.

PARK AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH,
Park Av. at East 64th St.
11 A. M.—Carillon Dedicatory Service. Address by Dr. Woelfkin.
9:45 A. M.—Church School, Women's Class. Miss Harriet Taylor will speak.
7 P. M.—Mr. Anton Brees will play the Dedication Recital on the Carillon.
This program broadcast by WJZ and WGY.
8 P. M.—Evening Worship, Dr. Woelfkin will preach.
Men's Bible Class, 9:45 A. M.
Leader: Dr. Arthur E. Bestor.
Subject: "Opposition to Christ in His Day."
All Men Welcome.

Christian Science

AUTHORIZED CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES AND MEETINGS
are held in the following
NEW YORK BRANCH CHURCHES OF THE MOTHER CHURCH,
The First Church of Christ, Scientist,
in Boston, Massachusetts,
SUNDAYS, 11 A. M. AND 8 P. M.
WEDNESDAYS, 8 P. M.

FIRST	Central Park West and 96th St.
SECOND	Central Park West and 68th St.
THIRD	Park Av. and 63d St.
FOURTH	Ft. Wash. Av. and 178th St.
FIFTH	9 East 43d St.
SIXTH	1,935 Anthony Av., Bronx
SEVENTH	520 West 112th St.
EIGHTH	103 East 77th St.
NINTH	Town Hall, 121 W. 43d St.
TENTH	25 Waverly Place
ELEVENTH	2,382 Grand Concourse, Bronx
THIRTEENTH	311 West 83d St
FOURTEENTH	555 West 141st St.

NOTE—Wednesday meetings in Fourth, Sixth and Eleventh Churches, 8:15 P. M. Wednesday meeting in Ninth Church, 1 P. M. Seventh Church second Sunday service, 4:30 P. M.

FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
given by a member of The Christian Science Board of Lectureship as follows:
Dec. 28th, 9 P. M., Fourth Church.
Station WMCA (341 meters) will radiocast this lecture.
The Public is cordially invited.
The Sunday morning service will be radiocast through Station WMCA.

Community Church

THE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF N. Y.
Park Av. and 34th St.
11 A. M.—JOHN HAYNES HOLMES,
"Great Possessions—What Are They?"
A New Year's Sermon.
8 P. M.—RABBI STEPHEN S. WISE,
"A JEW'S VIEW OF PREJUDICE."

Congregational

BROADWAY TABERNACLE CHURCH
BROADWAY AND 56TH STREET
Dr. CHARLES E. JEFFERSON, Pastor.
Rev. FRANCIS T. COOKE
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
9 P. M.—SOCIAL HOUR.
10 P. M.—ORGAN RECITAL by MR. WALTER C. GALE, assisted by THE GLORIA TRUMPETERS.
11 P. M.—WATCH NIGHT SERVICE.
Sermon by REV. FRANCIS T. COOKE.

Divine Science

DR. MURRAY'S NOONDAY MEETINGS.
Rev. W. JOHN MURRAY, Founder.
Mrs. W. JOHN MURRAY, Speaker.
RUMFORD HALL, 50 E. 41 St., at Park Av.
Weekdays, 12:15; Sundays, 11 A. M.
"The New Birth."
All are welcome.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Divine Science

CHURCH OF THE HEALING CHRIST.
(First Church Divine Science in New York.)
REV. W. JOHN MURRAY, Founder.
Room 107, Waldorf Hotel.
Sunday at 11 A. M. Address by
Rev. ALBERT C. GRIER, Acting Pastor.
"A NEW BEGINNING."
Noon-Hour Healing Meetings Every Day at 12 at the Waldorf.
Wednesday Evening Service at 8:15.

Ethical Culture

THE SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE
in the City of New York
Central Park West and 64th St.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27TH, 11 A. M.
"A FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS AT THE TURN OF THE YEAR"
By the Children of the Sunday School.
Address and Story by
Dr. John L. Elliott.
Public Cordially Invited.

Interdenominational

GOSPEL TABERNACLE,
692 8th Av. (cor. 44th St.)
Rev. A. B. Simpson, Founder.
Dr. W. M. Turnbull, Senior Pastor.
Sunday, 9:30 A. M., Sunday School.
(SPECIAL REVIVAL SERVICES)
Conducted by
THE WELSH EVANGELISTS,
REV. FRED CLARK and
REV. GEORGE BELL.
(This is their first visit to America.)
Sunday, Dec. 27, to
Sunday, Jan. 3 (inclusive),
(Except Monday night).
SUNDAYS—11 A. M., 4 P. M., 7:30 P. M.
WEEKDAYS—3 P. M., 8 P. M.

CHINATOWN.
The Rescue Society, Old Chinese Theatre.
5-7 Doyers St. Known the whole world over.
Gospel service nightly, 10 P. M.
Evangelistic, Enthusiastic, Extraordinary.
Drunkards, drug addicts, the homeless and friendless especially invited.
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NATIONAL BIBLE INSTITUTE,
340 West 55th St. BIBLE HOUR, 4 P. M.
"JESUS THE SON OF GOD."
DEAN M. T. SHELFORD, D. D.
Solos by Miss H. A. Moulton, contralto.

THE UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.
Service in the Chapel, Claremont Av., between 120th and 122d Sts., at 11 o'clock.
Preacher, the Rev. Hugh C. Burr, pastor of the Baptist Church of Elmira, N. Y.

Jewish

FREE SYNAGOGUE,
Carnegie Hall, 7th Av. and 57th St.
Sunday morning, Dec. 27, at 10:45 o'clock
ARTHUR NASH,
"Golden Rule Nash" of Cincinnati, and
SIDNEY HILLMAN,
Head of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America,
Will Speak on
"IS THERE A WAY OUT?"
Dealing with the possibilities of peace in industry.
ALL ARE WELCOME.

TEMPLE EMANU-EL,
Fifth Avenue and Forty-third Street.
Saturday, 10:30 A. M.—Dr. Enelow on "Did Jesus Abandon Judaism?"
Sunday, 11 A. M. Sharp—Dr. Krass on "A Modern Trinity." A New Year's message for Americans.
Sunday, 8:00-10:00 P. M.—Classes for the study of Bible and Jewish History and Literature.
Friday Evening Services, 5:30 o'clock.
Daily Noon Service, 12:30 o'clock.
All are welcome.

BETH-EL TEMPLE,
5th Av. at 76th St.
SERVICES SATURDAY MORNING AT 10:15.
REV. DR. SIMON COHEN
Will Preach.
SUNDAY AT 11 A. M.
REV. DR. SIMON COHEN
Will Speak on
"EMPTY PEWS."

TEMPLE RODEPH SHOLOM,
Lexington Av., 63d St.
Saturday Morning, 10:15 o'clock, Dr. Rudolph Grossman will speak on "Tolerance" based on Hendrik Van Loon's book.
All are welcome.

CENTRAL SYNAGOGUE,
55th St. and Lexington Av.
RABBI JONAH B. WISE.
Sunday at 11, "Peace on Earth."
Saturday at 10:15, "Tears of Joseph."

JEWISH SCIENCE, INC.
Temple of Jewish Faith.
Rabbi Clifton Harby Levy, Lecturer, Teacher.
Sunday morning at 11, "The Olcott."
"JUDAISM'S GOOD-WILL."
Wednesday evening at 8:30, The Olcott, lessons in Spiritual Culture, broadcasting through WBNY. Saturday evening at 7, talk on "Jewish Science," by Mrs. Miriam Openheim. Sunday 2 P. M., Rabbi Levy: "How We Got the Bible." Wednesday at 7 P. M., on "Jewish Science." Write 41 West 33d for monthly magazine, "The Jewish Life," official organ of Jewish Science, Inc.

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Society of Jewish Science.
RABBI MORRIS LICHTENSTEIN,
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Authorized Jewish Science Services:
Sunday, 11 A. M., at HOTEL ASTOR.
"INFLUENCES OF THE HOME."
Friday, 8:15 P. M., 720 Riverside Drive.
PUBLIC CORDIALLY WELCOME.
Jewish Science textbook, "JEWISH SCIENCE AND HEALTH," by Rabbi Morris Lichtenstein, obtainable at headquarters, 166 West 73d St.

Liberal Catholic

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL,
144 West 65th St.
Holy Eucharist, Sundays, 11 A. M.
Lecture Sunday, 5:30 P. M.
"Carol Song Service."
Healing Service Fridays, 8 P. M.

Lutheran

HOLY TRINITY, 65th St. Central Park W.
The Rev. Dr. Paul Scherer, Pastor.
11—WHAT WE KNOW OF CHRIST.
7:30—CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL.

REDEEMER, 33-39 Warner Ave., Jersey City (Greenville Section). Dr. Heindel, Pastor. Services: 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal

CALVARY,
University Av., below Burnside Av.
11 and 8—Dr. WM. H. MORGAN.

CHELSEA, 178th St., W. of B'dway.—Dr. Reisner, 11, "A Winsome God." 8, "Youth Preserved." Wesleyan Glee Club.

GRACE METHODIST, West 104th St.
John L. Davis, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—The Road to Tomorrow;
7:45—Pageant.

MADISON AVENUE, 60th St.
Rev. RALPH W. SOCKMAN, Ph.D., D.D.
11 A. M.—"Afloat or Adrift?"
8 P. M.—"How to Stop."
Christmas Music at both services.
Under direction of Francis Moore.
9:45—Church School. 11—Junior Church.
10:00—Men's Forum. Dr. Wm. J. Thompson.

METROPOLITAN TEMPLE,
14th St. and 7th Av.
Dr. Wallace MacMullen
Rev. Stanley B. Niles } Ministers
11 A. M.—"The Home of the Soul."
7:45 P. M.—"The Significance of 1925."

PARK AV., at 85th St.
Rev. P. C. Weyant, Pastor.
Sunday School, 2:40, Church Service, 4 P. M.
Excellent Music by Quartet.
Epworth League Tea at 6. Service, 7-8.

ST. ANDREW'S, 122-138 West 76th St.
JAMES HARDY BENNETT, Pastor.
An Extemporaneous Preacher.
11 A. M.—"Good News."
8 P. M.—Musical program, Christmas Carols by Candlelight.
A Choir as Good as the Best.

ST. JAMES',
Madison Av. and 126th St.
Rev. FRED W. STACEY, Minister.
11 A. M.—Rev. Hough Houston, D. D.
8 P. M.—Special Christmas music.
Assisted by Miss Tolmie, violinist.

WASHINGTON SQ., 4th St., W. of Sq.
Rev. LEWIS E. CHRISTIAN, Pastor.
11—"Growing Up"
8—CANDLE LIGHT SERVICE.
Address: Christmas Music Repeated.
Thurs., 10:30 P. M.—Watch Night Service.

Moravian

FIRST CHURCH, Lexington Av. and 30th St.
Rev. Harry E. Stocker, Ph. D., Minister.
Services—Sunday, 11 A. M.; Wed'sday, 8 P. M.

New Church

NEW CHURCH (Swedenborgian).
35th St., Bet. Park and Lexington Avs.
11 A. M., Rev. ARTHUR WILDE, Pastor.
"The Days of Herod the King."
Holy Communion.

CHURCH OF THE NEW JERUSALEM,
Clark St. and Monroe Place, Brooklyn.
Take West Side Subway to Clark St.
Rev. E. M. LAWRENCE GOULD, Pastor.
11 A. M., "As We Look Back."

New Thought

SEARS PHILOSOPHY.
Not better—not worse—but DIFFERENT.
Sundays, 11 A. M.
Chalif Hall, 163 West 57th St.
Charles F. Mills, speaker.
Subject, "The Voice of God."

THE APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY ASS'N.
ANNA C. NOLLE,
HOTEL ASTOR, SUNDAY, 11 A. M.
"YOUR PROBLEM CAN BE SOLVED."
Our principle will DO it.

DR. W. ELLIS WILLIAMS
ZARA DOUGLAS.
15 East 59th St. Sunday, 3:15 P. M.
Daily at Noon (except Fri.); Thurs. Eve. 8:15

Presbyterian

THE BRICK CHURCH,
5th Av. and 37th St.
Ministers:
WILLIAM PIERSON MERRILL,
JAMES McCULLOUGH FARR.
DR. MERRILL will preach at 11.
DR. FARR will preach at 4.
Watch Night Service—Thursday, 11 P. M.
4 P. M.—Oratorio, Handel's "Messiah."
NOON HOUR SERVICE daily 12:30-12:50
(Except Friday).

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN,
Broadway and 114th St.
Rev. Walter Duncan Buchanan, D.D., LL.D., Pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN,
Madison Av. and 57th St.
Rev. DWIGHT WITHERSPOON WYLIE, D. D., LL.D., Pastor.
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
11 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.
Preaching by the Pastor.
SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC.
Full Choir and Instruments.
Wednesday evening at 8
Mid-Week Hour of Prayer.

FIFTH AV. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
5th Av and 55th St.
REV. HENRY HOWARD, D. D.
London and Australia.
11:00 and 4:30—Services of worship.
4:00—Organ recital by Harry Gilbert.
9:30—Church School in the church house.
10:00—Men's and Women's Bible classes
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30.
8:15—Preparatory service in the Chapel, conducted by DR. HOWARD.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN,
5th Av., 11th and 12th Sts.
Ministers { Rev. George Alexander, D. D.
Rev. Thomas Guthrie Speers.
Rev. Robert H. Blackshear.
9:45 A. M.—Church School.
11 A. M.—REV. RICHARD ROBERTS, D. D., of the American Church, Montreal, Canada.
6:45 P. M.—Young People's Society.
8 P. M.—MR. SPEERS.
Watch Night Service, Thursday, 11 P. M.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN,
West End Av. and 91st St.
Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by
REV. EDGAR WHITAKER WORK, D. D.
11 A. M.—ANNUAL SERMON.
8 P. M.—"Christmas Applications to Life."

HARLEM-NEW YORK CHURCH,
Mount Morris Park West and 122d St.
Dr. Frederick W. Evans, Minister.
11—"The Days of Our Years."
8—Cantata, "The Holy Infant."

MADISON AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN,
Northeast corner 73d St.
Rev. Henry Sloane Coffin, D. D.
Rev. John Hopkins Denison, D. D.
Rev. William Raymond Jelliffe,
Rev. George Stewart, Ph. D. } Ministers
11 A. M.—Dr. Coffin.
4 P. M.—A Christmas Pageant.
8 P. M.—A Carol Service (Dr. Stewart).
NEW YEAR'S EVE., 11 P. M.
Watch Night Service.
ALL SEATS FREE.

PARK AV. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Park Av. and 85th St.
Tertius Van Dyke, Pastor, 11 and 8.
Watch Night, Dec. 31, 11:15 P. M.

RUTGERS,
73d St., at Broadway.
Rev. DANIEL RUSSELL, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—Dr. Russell preaches.
6:30 P. M.—Meeting for Strangers.
SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MUSIC.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN,
Southwest cor. 96th St. and Central Park W.
Rev. GEORGE J. RUSSELL, Minister.
11 A. M.—"Vain Regrets," violin selections.
8 P. M.—"The Unchanging Christ." Cantata.

ST. NICHOLAS AV. PRESBYTERIAN,
St. Nicholas Av., cor. 141st St.
11 A. M. and 8 P. M.—Rev. CHARLES L. CANDEE, D. D.

WEST END PRESBYTERIAN,
Amsterdam Avenue at 105th Street.
DR. A. EDWIN KEIGWIN, Pastor.
11—REV. PAUL C. WARREN preaches
"DO WE NEED A NEW MESSIAH?"
8—"THE FEAST OF INGATHERING."
4th presentation of Dr. Keigwin's new play.

WEST PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Amsterdam Av. and 86th St.
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D. Pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
11 A. M.—"Spiritual Prosperity."
8 P. M.—"The Christmas Surplus."
Musical Service—Choir will sing "Christmas Oratorio," by Saint Saens.

Protestant Episcopal

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE,
Amsterdam Av. and 112th St.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
8:45 A. M.—Holy Communion (French).
10:15 A. M.—Morning Prayer.
11 A. M.—Holy Communion and Sermon. Dean Robbins.
4 P. M.—Christmas Carols.
Daily Services, 7:30 and 10 A. M.; 5 P. M. (Choral except Monday and Saturday).
NEW YEAR'S EVE., 10:30 P. M.,
Organ Recital and Watch Night Service.

ALL ANGELS' CHURCH,
West End Av. and 81st St.
Rev. S. De Lancey Townsend, D. D., Rector.
Rev. Harold Belshaw, Associate Rector.
8 and 11 A. M. (The Rector).
4 P. M. Christmas Pageant by Church School.
NEW YEAR'S EVE, 11 P. M.
Watchnight Service, Holy Communion (Rector).

ALL SAINTS', Henry and Scammel Sts.
Rev. Harrison Rockwell, Vicar.
Rev. P. C. Nalencz, Polish Pastor.
Grand St. car east to Willett St.
7:30 A. M. and 8 P. M. (Vicar).

ASCENSION, 5th Av. at 10th St.
DONALD B. ALDRICH, Rector.
9 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:30 A. M.—Church School.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon, "He Who May Be Known."
4 P. M.—Devotional Service of Music: Saint-Saens's "Oratorio de Noel."
Wednesday, 8:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
11:15 P. M.—Watch Night Service.
12:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.

CALVARY, Fourth Av. and 21st St.
REV. SAMUEL M. SHOEMAKER Jr., Rector
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
Rector will preach at both services.
11 A. M.—"Spiritualized Christianity."
8 P. M.—"The Children's Christmas Tree."

CHRIST CHURCH, 205 WEST 71ST ST.
Rev. JOHN R. ATKINSON, Rector.
At SCUDDER SCHOOL, 255 West 71st St.
Morning Service at 11.
Sunday School Christmas Festival at 3.

CHURCH OF HEAVENLY REST and CHAPEL OF THE BELOVED DISCIPLE,
63 East 89th St.
REV. HENRY DARLINGTON, D. D., Rector
8, 10 and 11 A. M.—RECTOR.
8 P. M.—Christmas Cantata.
"THE STORY OF BETHLEHEM."
9:30 A. M.—Church School.

GRACE CHURCH,
Broadway and Tenth St.
Rev. W. RUSSELL BOWIE, D. D., Rector.
8 A. M., Holy Communion.
9:45 A. M., Church School.
11:00, Morning Prayer and Sermon. The Rector.
4 P. M., Vesper Service (Chantry).
Rev. Eliot White.
8 P. M., A Carol Service.
The Rector.
12:30 to 12:55 } Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Noonday Service and Sermon.
NEW YEAR'S EVE—11:45 to 12:15.
The Chimes will be broadcast by WEAF.

CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION,
74th St., east of Park Av.
Rev. E. RUSSELL BOURNE, Rector.
Services 8 and 11 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Protestant Episcopal

CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION,
6th Av. and 20th St.,
REV. HENRY MOTTET, D. D., Rector.
SUNDAY SERVICES.
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:30 A. M.—Rev. H. L. Drew.
11:00 A. M.—Rev. Dr. Mottet.
12:00 M.—Holy Communion.
4:00 P. M.—Rev. F. G. Urbano.
8:00 P. M.—Rev. Dr. Mottet.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
Thursday, 11:15 P. M.—Watch Service.
NEW YEAR'S DAY.
12 Midnight—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Festival Service; full choir, Watchword by the Rector.
12 M.—Holy Communion.

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION,
Madison Av. and 35th St.
REV. H. P. SILVER, D. D., Rector.
8 and 10 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer.
SERMON BY THE RECTOR.
4 P. M.—Children's Carol Service of the combined Sunday Schools of the Church and the Chapel.
Noonday Service Daily, except Saturday, 12:20 to 12:40. Music and brief address.

CHAPEL OF THE INTERCESSION,
Trinity Parish, Broadway and 155th St.
8, 9, 9:45, 11 A. M., 4 and 8 P. M.
New Year's Eve.
11 P. M.—Watch Night Service.

HOLY ROOD, Fort Washington Av.-179th St.
G. A. CARSTENSEN, D. D., Rector.
Services 8, 11 and 8 o'clock.

ST. ANDREW'S, 5th Av. and 127th St.
Services 8-11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Rev. A. E. RIBOURG, D. D., Rector.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH,
Park Av. at 51st St.
ROBERT NORWOOD, Rector.
8:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.
2:45 P. M.—Sunday School Christmas Festival.
4:00 P. M.—Annual Christmas Carol Service and Sermon.
Dr. Norwood will preach at Morning and Evening Prayer.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
11 P. M.—Holy Communion and Sermon. Dr. Norwood will preach.
Holy Communion, Thursdays, 10:30 A. M.

ST. CLEMENT'S,
423 West 46th St., West of 9th Av.
Rev. Thomas A. Sparks, Rector.
Services 8, 11 and 8.

ST. GEORGE'S,
Stuyvesant Square,
16th St., east of Third Av.
Rev. DR. KARL REILAND, Rector.
8 A. M., Holy Communion.
11 A. M., Morning Prayer and Sermon (Rector)
4 P. M., Vespers.
OLD CHRISTMAS CAROLS.
Address by Dr. Reiland.
Thursday, 11 P. M., Watch Night Service.

ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH,
West End Av. and 87th St.
Rev. WILLIAM PITT McCUNE, Rector.
Masses: 8, 9:30, 11.
Vespers and Benediction: 4.
Week Day Services: 7, 9:30, 5.

ST. JAMES',
Madison Av. and 71st St.
Rev. Frank Warfield Crowder, D. D., Rector.
8 A. M., 11 A. M. (Rector). 4 P. M., Children's Manger Service and Dedication of Children's Corner.

HOLY TRINITY,
Parish of St. James',
East 88th St., between 1st and 2d Avs.
Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance, Vicar.
8, 10:45 (7:30 Organ Recital), 8.

ST. JAMES', Jerome Av. and 190th St.
REV. DEWITT L. PELTON, D. D., Rector.
Services 8, 11 A. M., and 4 P. M.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST,
11th St., west of 7th Av.
Rev. JOHN ARMSTRONG WADE, Rector.
Services 8 and 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

ST. MARK'S-IN-THE-BOUWERIE,
10th St., west of 2d Av.
WILLIAM NORMAN GUTHRIE, Rector.
11—REV. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, D. D. Subject: "The Superman."
4—CHARNES RANN KENNEDY, EDITH WYNNE MATTHISON, MARGARET GAGE present the "ALCESTIS" of EURIPIDES.
8—GIFT OF HOLY WATER (Symbolic Worship).
9—SINGING HOUR with Crinoline Trio (piano, harp, violin).

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN,
139 West 46th St.
Rev. J. G. H. BARRY, D. D., Rector.
Low Masses, 7:30, 8:15. Children's Mass, 9.
High Mass and Procession (Rector), 10:45.
MEUERER'S MISSA BREVIS.
CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE, 4 P. M.
Week Day Masses, 7, 8, 9:30.
NEW YEAR'S DAY,
High Mass and Sermon (Rector), 10:45.

ST. MARY'S, 521 West 126th St.
REV. CHARLES BRECK ACKLEY, Rector.
Sundays, 8, 9:30, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy,
26 West 84th St.
Rev. Frederick Burgess Jr., B. D., Rector.
8, 11—Carol Service (Rev. Dr. Judge).
8—Festival Service (Rector).

ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL, Trinity Parish,
Broadway, Fulton and Vesey Sts.
Rev. J. P. McCOMAS, D. D., Vicar.
8, 10, 10:30, 11 (Sermon); 4 (Address).
Daily (7:45), 8, 12 or 12:15, 5 P. M.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
MIDNIGHT SERVICE (11:30 P. M.)
NEW YEAR'S DAY, 8, 12 (Choral), 5

St. STEPHEN'S, 69th St., near Broadway.
Dr. Seagle, Rector. Services, 8, 11, 4, 8.
New Year's Eve.—Watchnight Service.

ST. THOMAS'S,
5th Av. and 53d St.
8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Service and Sermon.
4 P. M.—Evensong and Address.
Rev. Raymond C. Knox, D. D., both services.
8 P. M.—Hour of Organ Music.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
11—Holy Communion and Address.
Rev. Wilbur L. Caswell
NEW YEAR'S DAY
11 A. M.—Holy Communion and Address.
Rev. Charles K. Gilbert, D. D.

CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION
(Little Church Around the Corner),
1 East 29th St.
Rev. RANDOLPH RAY, D. D., Rector.
Services, 8, 9 and 10:30 A. M.
11 A.M.—Choral Eucharist & Sermon (Rector)
4 P.M.—Choral Evensong and Devotions.
New Year's Day, 7:30 and 10 A. M.

TRINITY CHURCH,
Broadway and Wall St.
Rev. CALEB R. STETSON, S. T. D., Rector.
7:30 and 9 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Holy Communion (Sermon).
3:30 P. M.—Evensong (Sermon)
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
11:45 to 12:50—Chimes.
11:15 P. M.—Litany in procession and address by the Rev. Caleb R. Stetson, S. T. D.
NEW YEAR'S DAY.
7:30 and 9 A. M.—Holy Communion.
Organ recital, Wednesday, 12:30 to 1 P. M.

TRINITY CHAPEL, Trinity Parish,
West 25th St., Near Broadway.
Rev. J. WILSON SUTTON, D. D., Vicar.
8 and 11—Holy Communion.
4—Evening prayer, carols and visit to the manger.

Reformed

COLLEGIATE CHURCH OF NEW YORK THE MIDDLE CHURCH,
2d Av. and 7th St.
Edgar Franklin Romig, Minister.
will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning subject, "Not Far From the Kingdom of God."

THE MARBLE CHURCH,
5th Av. and 29th St.
Rev. David James Burrell, D. D.
Rev. Daniel A. Poling, D. D. } Ministers
11 A. M.—Dr. Burrell will preach: "A Heart to Let."
8 P. M.—Dr. Poling will preach: "The Lure of the Dark."
Midweek meeting Wednesday evening at 8.

THE CHURCH OF ST. NICHOLAS,
5th Av. and 48th St.
Malcolm James MacLeod, Minister.
Dr. MacLeod will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
9:45 A. M.—Church School meets for special Christmas exercises.
Midweek meeting New Year's Day, 10 A. M., instead of Wednesday evening.

THE WEST END CHURCH,
West End Av. and 77th St.
Rev. Henry Evertson Cobb, D. D., Minister, will preach at both services.
11 A. M.—"Wondering and Pondering."
4:30 P. M.—"The Last Christmas Tree."
Christmas music at both services. Choir assisted by violin and harp.

THE FORT WASHINGTON CHURCH,
Fort Washington Av. and 181st St.
Rev. Irving Husted Berg, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Christmas Carols and Anthems.
9:55 A. M.—Church School.
Midweek meeting Wednesday evening at 8.

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HAMILTON GRANGE, Convent Av. and West 149th St. Rev. Arthur Frederick Mabon, D. D., Minister. 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Christmas Carols of the Nations. 50 voices.

HARLEM, Lenox Av. and 123d St., Rev. Edgar Tilton Jr., D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Christmas music will be repeated. Organ, Gloria Trumpeters, Vocal Quartet and a Vested Chorus of Young People.

Spiritualist

THE SPIRITUAL AND ETHICAL SOCIETY.
Sunday, Dec. 27, at 2:30 P. M., Hotel Astor.
Speakers: THE PRESIDENT,
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Subject: Obsession with Review of Recent Medical Cases.

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1 West Sixty-seventh Street.
See SPECIAL ad. on this page.

Unitarian

DR. SLATEN.
Sunday, 11 A. M., on
VALUES; OR WHAT IS WORTH WHILE.
Organ program 10:45; Church school 11.
WEST SIDE UNITARIAN CHURCH,
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ALL SOULS,
4th Av., at 20th St.
CHURCH OF SPIRITUAL FREEDOM.
MINOT SIMONS, D. D., MINISTER.
10 A. M.—MODERNIST CHURCH SCHOOL.
11 A. M.—III, "Moral Over-strain. Standing up to Adversity."
FREE LITERATURE ON REQUEST.

THE COMMUNITY CHURCH OF N. Y.
(See Heading—"Community Church").

Universalist

CHURCH OF THE DIVINE PATERNITY,
Central Park West and 76th St.
Rev. William Wallace Rose,
will preach at 11 A. M.,
"Things Which Satisfy."

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Other Services

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11 A. M.—Dr Cadman preaches.
7:45 P. M.—Handel's "Messiah."
Dr. Cadman preaches.

Ethical Culture

BROOKLYN ETHICAL SOCIETY,
Academy of Music (Atlantic Av. Station).
11 A. M.—Rev. Dr. Edmund Chaffee (Director Labor Temple, New York).
" 'GORA' BY RABINDRANATH TAGORE: THE BOOK AND THE MAN."

Presbyterian

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Henry St., near Clark St.
11 A. M.—Rev. Morgan Phelps Noyes, Pastor.
4 P. M.—Cantata, "The Message of the Star" (Woodman).

LAFAYETTE AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN,
Corner South Oxford St.
Dr. Charles C. Albertson will preach at 11 and 7:45.
Evening—Musical Service of Worship.

Protestant Episcopal

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"The Messiah" by Handel at 8.

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TRUNK—Arrival on Leviathan Monday, Dec. 21, Pier 86, North River, wardrobe trunk, blue stripe on side, initials G. M.; liberal reward. W 395 Times.

UMBRELLA, lady's, purple, silver, handle, large silver ring, initials A. R. M. on handle, in taxicab, Thursday afternoon; reward. Rubin, 3,603 Broadway, Apt. 3, Sunday, between 2-4.

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POMERANIAN, small, black, 10 years old; collar, leash; reward; Tuesday. Trafalgar 4022.

FOUND.

BRACELET—Thursday, Dec. 17, upper west side; will be returned to owner upon identification after receipt of detailed description. P. O. Box 718, City Hall Station, N. Y.

CANARY returned upon indentification and cost of ad. D 87 Times.

NECKLACE Found—Imitation pearl. Phone Bronxville 0006 after New Year's.

Secretary of the Navy Wilbur
Contributes a vigorous article on Aviation to January Current History.

Hon. Theodore E. Burton,
The distinguished Statesman, has an article in the same issue on Curbing Crime.

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WEAF, NEW YORK—492.
4:00-6:00 P. M.—Fisher Orchestra.
6:00 P. M.—Waldorf-Astoria dinner music.
7:00 P. M.—Gorman's Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—Sir Hobgoblin Christmas story.
7:45 P. M.—St. Michael's Orphanage Band.
8:20 P. M.—George O'Brien, tenor.
8:30 P. M.—Eagle Neutrodyne Trio.
9:00 P. M.—Cliquot Club Eskimos.
10:00 P. M.—"Pop" concert.
11:00-12:00 P. M.—Lopez Orchestra.

WNYC, NEW YORK—526.
7:00 P. M.—Harmonica Boys; police alarms; R. Ward, tenor.
8:00 P. M.—Popular songs; soprano.
8:10 P. M.—Phyllis Wagner, soprano.
8:35 P. M.—Corinthian Trio.
9:10 P. M.—Police Glee Club.
10:10 P. M.—"Modern Syria," Eva Adams.
10:30 P. M.—Police alarms; weather.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455.
1:00 P. M.—Knickerbocker Orchestra.
1:50 P. M.—To be announced.
3:00 P. M.—Olga Dobos, soprano.
3:20 P. M.—Hotel Greystone Trio; F. Maroc tenor.
4:05 P. M.—E. J. Breen, baritone.
4:30 P. M.—Hotel Lorraine Orchestra.
5:32 P. M.—Market closings and summary.
7:00 P. M.—Commodore dinner music.
7:45 P. M.—"Radio Novel," Cosmo Hamilton.
8:00 P. M.—Hotel Madison Orchestra.
8:30 P. M.—Hockey; New York vs. Pittsburgh.
10:00 P. M.—Dixie Jubilee Singers.
10:30 P. M.—Canadian Club Orchestra.

WGBS, NEW YORK—316.
10:00-11:00 A. M.—Timely talks; music.
1:30 P. M.—Scripture reading.
1:35 P. M.—Henrietta Menscher, piano.
2:00 P. M.—To be announced.
3:00-4:00 P. M.—R. Lev, piano; P. Frank, violin.
6:00 P. M.—Uncle Geebee.
6:30 P. M.—Blum's Orchestra.
7:00 P. M.—Dance instructions.
7:05 P. M.—Talk, Fannie Hurst.
7:10 P. M.—C. Meehan, tenor; D. Freedman, monologues.
7:30-8:30 P. M.—Twin Oaks Orchestra.
8:30 P. M.—Two-piano concerto.
9:00 P. M.—Mac and Lennie songs.
9:30 P. M.—Emanuel Choir.
9:50 P. M.—Entertainers.
10:00 P. M.—Ralph Steffen, baritone.
10:30 P. M.—Arrowhead Inn Orchestra.

WHN, NEW YORK—361.
7:30-8:00 P. M.—Monico Club Orchestra.
10:00-10:30 P. M.—Roseland Orchestra.
11:00 P. M.-12:30 A. M.—Dance music.

WMCA, NEW YORK—341.
6:00 P. M.—Vail's String Ensemble.
6:30 P. M.—Robert Soffer, piano.
7:00 P. M.—Talk on lacquer.
7:05 P. M.—Amphion's Orchestra.
8:00 P. M.—Current events outline.
8:30 P. M.—Xenia Wassen, soprano.
8:50 P. M.—To be announced.
9:20 P. M.—Cinderella Orchestra.
10:00 P. M.—Nichols Trio.
10:30 P. M.—M. Alvarez, tenor.
11:00 P. M.—Golden's Orchestra.
12:00 P. M.—Maxine Brown, songs.

WRNY, NEW YORK—259.
12:00 M.—Charlotte Trystman, piano.
12:30 P. M.—Frances Peper, soprano.
1:30 P. M.—Women's Hour.
5:45 P. M.—Bob McDonald, ukulele.
6:55 P. M.—New York neighborhoods.
7:00 P. M.—Biography; sports; commerce.
7:15 P. M.—Metropolitan Opera notes.
7:20 P. M.—Anna Russo, old songs.
7:35 P. M.—Mental hygiene talk.
7:45 P. M.—Orlando's Orchestra.
8:15 P. M.—Giuseppe Adami, violin.
8:30-9:15 P. M.—Bernie's Orchestra.
9:45 P. M.—Bob McDonald, ukulele.
10:00 P. M.—Talk on "Romola."
10:15 P. M.—Jean Adair, songs.
11:00 P. M.—Motion picture review.

WFBH, NEW YORK—273.
2:00 P. M.—Cliff Orchestra.
3:00-4:00 P. M.—Catherine Connolly, soprano; L. Lockett, viola; Nancy Corrigan, soprano.
4:00 P. M.—Burton's Orchestra.
5:00-6:15 P. M.—Cross and Abrams, songs. S. Wilson, piano; Bob Schaffer, songs.
6:15 P. M.—Arrighi Singers.
6:45 P. M.—Movie talk, S. Warner.
7:00 P. M.—Majestic String Ensemble.

WOKO, NEW YORK—233.
8:15 P. M.—Cecilia Rivero, soprano.
8:30 P. M.—Health talk.
8:35 P. M.—Herbert Link, piano.
8:50 P. M.—Constantine Rames, saxophone.
9:05 P. M.—Cecilia Rivero, soprano.
9:20 P. M.—Vladimir Tobachnik, baritone.

WBNY, NEW YORK—210.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Gypsy Trio.
7:00-8:45 P. M.—Talk; news; songs.
8:45 P. M.—Martin's Orchestra.
9:30 P. M.—Vocalists.
10:00-11:00 P. M.—Songs; orchestra.

WAHG, RICHMOND HILL—316.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals; weather.
12:00 M.—J. Zimmerman, piano.
12:00 P. M.—Christmas party.

WBOQ, RICHMOND HILL—236.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather.
10:00-12:00 P. M.—Christmas party.

WBBR, STATEN ISLAND—273.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—M. Carment, clarinet; Marion Brown, soprano; Bible questions and answers.

WOR, NEWARK—405.
2:30-3:15 P. M.—Ottilie Winn, soprano; E. S. Breck, piano.
3:15 P. M.—Zit's Casino tea music.
6:15 P. M.—Words often mispronounced.
6:17 P. M.—Sports, Bill Wathey.
6:30 P. M.—Hotel Shelton Ensemble.
7:30 P. M.—Van's Collegians.
8:00 P. M.—Madelaine Hulsizer, soprano; quartet.
8:45 P. M.—"Women in Our Courts," Clarice Baright.
9:00 P. M.—Plectrum Quintet; quartet; trio.
10:15 P. M.—Evening news.
10:25 P. M.—"Chinese Culture," A. Nilson.
10:45 P. M.—Clarence Williams Trio.

WGCP, NEWARK—252.
3:00 P. M.—To be announced.
8:30-11:00 P. M.—Orchestra; soloists; entertainers; instrumental trio.

WAAM, NEWARK—263.
6:00 P. M.—Orchestra; talk.
7:00 P. M.—To be announced.
7:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
8:00-10:00 P. M.—Vocal, instrumental solos.
10:00 P. M.—Hartley Joy Boys.

WRW, TARRYTOWN—273.
9:00 P. M.—Harmonica Trio; vocalists.
10:15 P. M.—Orchestra; trio.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—508.
6:45 A. M.—Setting-up exercises.
10:30 A. M.—Reducing exercises.
1:00 P. M.—Organ recital; weather.
3:00 P. M.—Artist recital.
6:00 P. M.—Weather forecast.
6:05 P. M.—Dinner music.
6:45 P. M.—Market reports.
7:00 P. M.—Bedtime story; roll-call; music.
8:00 P. M.—Sports, F. D'Eliscu.
8:15 P. M.—Society musical revue.
10:05 P. M.—Dance music.
11:05 P. M.—Organ recital.

WLIT, PHILADELPHIA—395.
12:02 P. M.—Almanac; announcements.
12:05 P. M.—Organ recital.
2:00-3:00 P. M.—Dance music.
4:30 P. M.—Coll's Entertainers.
7:30 P. M.—Franklin Orchestra.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA—508.
11:00 A. M.—Organ recital; weather.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Orchestra.
4:40 P. M.—Police reports; organ.
7:30 P. M.—Dinner music.
8:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
10:15 A. M.—Market reports.
1:00 P. M.—Tea Room Orchestra.
3:00 P. M.—Artist recital.
6:30 P. M.—Bellevue-Stratford Orchestra.
8:00 P. M.—Play.
9:00 P. M.—Polish Christmas Carols.
9:30 P. M.—Health talk.
9:45 P. M.—Yuletide cantata.
10:00 P. M.—Dance music.

WPG, ATLANTIC CITY—300.
6:45 P. M.—Organ recital.
7:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
8:45 P. M.—Sunshine talk.
9:00 P. M.—Traymore Orchestra.
10:00-11:30 P. M.—Dance music.

WHAR, ATLANTIC CITY—275.
2:00 P. M.—Seaside Trio.
7:30 P. M.—Sports, J. Budd.
8:00 P. M.—Seaside Trio.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:30 P. M.—Market reports.
7:45 P. M.—Bridge lesson.
9:30 P. M.—Dance music.

WEAN, PROVIDENCE—270.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner dance.
8:00-11:00 P. M.—Same as WNAC.

WJAR, PROVIDENCE—306.
7:30 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
7:45 P. M.—Duo; baritone.
8:15 P. M.—Musicale.
9:00 P. M.—Same as WEAF.

WTAG, WORCESTER—268.
10:30 A. M.—Miscellaneous program.
12:00 M.—Market review.
12:05 P. M.—Luncheon music.
5:15 P. M.—Children's period.
7:30-7:45 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
9:00 P. M.—Same as WEAF.

WNAC, BOSTON—280.
1:15 P. M.—Popular music.
4:00 P. M.—Tea dance.
6:00 P. M.—Simlers Club.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner dance.
8:00 P. M.—Christmas celebration.
9:00 P. M.—Artist recital.
10:00 P. M.—Dance music.

WEEI, BOSTON—349.
7:45 A. M.—Morning watch; organ.

WHAM, ROCHESTER—278.
3:30-4:00 P. M.—Eastman Orchestra.
5:00 P. M.—Organ recital.
7:00-7:30 P. M.—Eastman Orchestra.
7:30 P. M.—Weather; market reports.

WMAK, LOCKPORT—266.
7:15 P. M.—News digest.
7:30-9:00 P. M.—Musicale.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Concert.

WGR, BUFFALO—319.
12:00 M.—Weather forecast.
12:45 P. M.—Statler Ensemble.
2:30-4:30 P. M.—Concert.
7:30-7:45 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Same as WEAF.

WCAP, WASHINGTON—469.
6:45-7:45 A. M.—Setting-up exercises.

WRC, WASHINGTON—469.
1:00 P. M.—Hamilton Orchestra.
6:00 P. M.—Lee House Trio.
6:45 P. M.—Agricultural reports.
7:00 P. M.—Washington Orchestra.
8:10 P. M.—Bible talk.
8:30 P. M.—To be announced.
9:00 P. M.—"Christmas in Virginia."
10:30 P. M.—Crandall's Saturday Nighters.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Spanish Village Orchestra.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—309.
7:15 A. M.—Setting-up exercises.
9:45 A. M.—Market review; news.
11:55 A. M.—Time signals.
12:00 M.—Weather; market reports.
5:45 P. M.—Children's period.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
8:00 P. M.—Farm program.
8:30 P. M.—Band concert.
9:55 P. M.—Time signals; weather.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH—461.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
7:30 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
7:45 P. M.—Police reports.
8:00 P. M.—Youngstown concert.

WCSH, PORTLAND, ME.—256.
6:20 P. M.—Markets; stories.
8:45 P. M.—Musicale.
10:00-11:30 P. M.—Dance music.

CNRO, OTTAWA—435.
8:00 P. M.—Concert orchestra.
9:00 P. M.—Vocal, instrumental music.

CKAC, MONTREAL—411.
7:00 P. M.—Children's period.
7:30 P. M.—Dinner concert.
8:30 P. M.—Studio recital.
10:30 P. M.—Windsor Dance Orchestra.

CHIC, TORONTO—357.
8:00 P. M.—Concert.

CKCL, TORONTO—357.
7:00-8:00 P. M.—Concert; book review.

WEAR, CLEVELAND—389.
7:00 P. M.—Dinner concert.
12:00 P. M.—Wormack's Orchestra.

WTAM, CLEVELAND—389.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Musicale.
9:00-12:00 P. M.—Coo Coo Club music.

WADC, AKRON—258.
6:30 P. M.—Dinner music.

WCX, DETROIT—517.
6:00 P. M.—Goldkette's Ensemble.
8:00 P. M.—Detroit Symphony Orchestra.

WJR, DETROIT—517.
7:00 P. M.—Orchestra; soloists.
9:00 P. M.—Goldkette's Serenaders; soloists.
10:00 P. M.—Recording Orchestra.
11:30 P. M.—Jewett Jesters.

WWJ, DETROIT—353.
3:00 P. M.—Orchestra.

WREO, LANSING—236.
6:00-7:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
10:00-12:00 P. M.—Weather; dance music.

WKRC, CINCINNATI—422.
11:00 P. M.—McKay's Orchestra; solos.

WLW, CINCINNATI—422.
9:00 P. M.—Old Time Fiddlers.
10:00 P. M.—Dance Music.

WSAI, CINCINNATI—326.
8:45 P. M.—Children's stories.
9:00-11:30 P. M.—Chimes; sextet; news.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE—400.
8:30-10:00 P. M. — Vocal, instrumental music; news; time announced at 10 o'clock.

WSB, ATLANTA—428.
9:00 P. M.—Entertainment.
11:45 P. M.—Hired Help Skylark.

WEBH, CHICAGO—370.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Orchestra; Sunday school lesson; solos.
10:00-11:00 P. M. — Orchestra; instrumental solos; readings.

WHT, CHICAGO—400.
10:30 P. M.—Concert; soloists.
11:30 P. M.—Little Symphony Orchestra.
1:00 A. M.—Popular music.

WGN, CHICAGO—303.
7:00-8:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
9:00 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
11:00 P. M.—Drake Orchestra; songs.

WENR, CHICAGO—266.
7:00-8:00 P. M.—Dinner music.
9:00-11:00 P. M.—Popular music.
1:00-3:00 A. M.—Musical frolic.

WBCN, CHICAGO—266.
8:00-9:00 P. M.—Classical concert.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Popular music.

WLS, CHICAGO—345.
8:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M. — Lullaby time; barn dance; soloists.

WOK, CHICAGO—217.
11:00 P. M.-2:00 A. M. — Orchestra; organ; vocal and instrumental solos.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—448.
7:00 P. M.—Organ.
7:20 P. M.—La Salle Orchestra.
9:00 P. M.—Popular songs.
9:30 P. M.—Talk, "The Holy Land."
10:00 P. M.—Theatre review.

KYW, CHICAGO—536.
7:00 P. M.—Dinner concert.
8:30-9:30 P. M.—Home lovers' concert.
9:30-12:00 P. M.—Music.
12:00 P. M.-2:00 A. M.—Congress Carnival.
2:00-3:00 A. M.—Insomnia Club; news.

WIBO, CHICAGO—266.
7:00-9:00 P. M.—Dinner music; solos.

WBBM, CHICAGO—226.
9:00-10:30 P. M.—College program.
10:30-12:00 P. M.—Popular music.
12:00 P. M.-3:00 A. M.—Quartet; orchestra.

WJJD, MOOSEHEART, ILL.—370.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Gala concert.
11:00-12:00 P. M.—Studio recital.
1:00-2:00 A. M.—Popular music.

WOC, DAVENPORT, IOWA—484.
9:00-10:00 P. M.—Same as WEAF.
10:00-11:00 P. M.—Music; weather.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Le Claire Orchestra; P. McArthur, baritone.

KSD, ST. LOUIS—545.
8:00 P. M.—Missouri Theatre music.

WCCO, MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL—416.
9:15 P. M.—Music.
11:00 P. M.—Weather; market reports.
11:05 P. M.—Dance music.

WMBF, MIAMI BEACH—384.
10:00-12:00 P. M.—Dance music.

WGBU, FULFORD—278.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Dance music.

KTHS, HOT SPRINGS, ARK.—375.
10:00-10:35 P. M.—Quartet; story.
10:35-11:30 P. M.—Dance music.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—366.
7:00 P. M.—Music; business address; organ; dance orchestra.
12:45 A. M.—Nighthawk Frolic.

WSM, NASHVILLE—283.
7:30-9:00 P. M.—Orchestra; story.

WMC, MEMPHIS—500.
9:30 P. M.—Studio recital.

WOAW, OMAHA—526.
10:00 P. M.—Concert; orchestra.
12:00 P. M.—Organ jubilee.

KOA, DENVER—322.
11:00 P. M.—Dance program.

WFAA, DALLAS—476.
7:30-8:30 P. M.—Baker Orchestra.
9:30-10:30 P. M.—Artist recital.
12:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Adolphus Orchestra.

PWX, HAVANA—400.
8:30-11:30 P. M.—Concert.

6KW, TUINUCU, CUBA—338.
8:00-10:15 P. M.—Dance music.

KFI, LOS ANGELES—467.
12:00 P. M.—Instrumental soloists.
1:00 A. M.—Radio Club Concert.
2:00 A. M.—Stage and screen stars.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—405.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Music.
1:00-2:00 A. M.—Hickman's Orchestra.

KNX, HOLLYWOOD—337.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Musical features.
1:00-2:00 A. M.—Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.
2:00-5:00 A. M.—Hollywood Night.

KGO, OAKLAND—361.
11:10 P. M.—Studio recital.
1:00-3:00 A. M.—Dance music.

KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—428.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Cabirians Orchestra.

KJR, SEATTLE—384.
11:00 P. M.-1:00 A. M.—Studio recital.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 25.—The disturbance that was central over Illinois Thursday night has advanced to New England with a marked increase in intensity, attended by light precipitation mostly in the form of snow in the Ohio and upper Mississippi Valley and the lake region and in the Atlantic States north of Virginia. Fair weather has prevailed in practically all other sections during the last twenty-four hours, although there was considerable cloudiness in the Southern States and in the Missouri Valley. Considerably colder weather has overspread the lake region, the great central valleys and in the interior of the West Gulf States, and the lowest temperature of the season to date is reported from portions of the North Central Valley. At Chicago, Ill., and Fort Wayne, Ind., the temperature is 10 degrees, and it is below zero in Manitoba, Northern Ontario and in portions of North Dakota and Minnesota. The weather is unseasonably warm in portions of the Rocky Mountain and Southern Plateau regions and Southern California, San Diego, Cal., reporting a maximum temperature of 84 degrees, and Los Angeles, 82 degrees.

Except for snow flurries in Western New York and Western Pennsylvania, Saturday, fair weather will prevail almost generally east of the Mississippi River during Saturday and Sunday. The temperature will be lower throughout the Washington forecast district, and the lowest temperatures of the season to date probably were registered Saturday night in northern sections east of the Mississippi River.

Storm warnings are displayed on the Atlantic Coast from Cape Hatteras to Cape Cod.

COUNTRY-WIDE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

In the following record of observations at United States Weather Bureau stations yesterday the temperatures given are the highest during the twelve hours from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. and the lowest during the preceding twelve hours from 8 P. M. to 8 A. M.; the barometer reading and condition of weather are those recorded at 8 P. M., and the rainfall is for the twenty-four hours ended at 8 P. M.

Station.	Temperature. High.	Low.	Barometer.	Rainfall.	Weather.
Abilene	54	34	30.00	..	Cloudy
Albany	34	28	29.00	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Atlanta	46	40	30.00	..	Cloudy
Atlantic City	42	36	29.64	.03	Cloudy
Baltimore	42	34	29.12	..	Clear
Bismarck	8	0	30.42	..	Cloudy
Boston	36	30	29.46	.10	Clear
Buffalo	26	24	29.18	.62	Cloudy
Charleston	54	40	29.92	..	Pt. Cl'dy
Chicago	14	14	30.14	.10	Clear
Cincinnati	36	34	30.12	.02	Pt. Cl'dy
Cleveland	26	26	29.90	.12	Pt. Cl'dy
Denver	52	28	30.24	..	Clear
Detroit	24	24	29.92	.36	Cloudy
Galveston	60	54	30.26	.07	Pt. Cl'dy
Helena	50	42	30.26	..	Cloudy
Indianapolis	28	28	30.12	.02	Clear
Jacksonville	64	44	30.02	..	Cloudy
Kansas City	32	22	30.26	..	Snow
Los Angeles	82	58	30.10	..	Clear
Miami	74	58	30.08	..	Clear
Milwaukee	8	6	30.10	.08	Clear
Minneapolis-St. Paul	12	..	30.22	..	Clear
New Orleans	62	48	30.16	..	Clear
New York	36	32	29.60	.01	Cloudy
Oklahoma	48	26	30.26	..	Clear
Philadelphia	40	32	29.68	..	Cloudy
Pittsburgh	36	30	29.94	..	Cloudy
Portland, Me.	32	22	29.46	.30	Cloudy
Portland, Ore.	48	..	30.28	..	Cloudy
Salt Lake City	50	32	30.48	..	Clear
San Antonio	64	56	30.30	..	Clear
San Diego	84	52	30.06	..	Clear
San Francisco	52	42	30.06	..	Clear
Savannah	56	40	30.34	..	Clear
Seattle	46	..	30.26	..	Pt. Cl'dy
St. Louis	30	24	30.20	..	Cloudy
Washington	46	34	29.94	..	Clear

Eastern New York—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

Northern New England—Generally fair and colder Saturday and Sunday, except possibly snow flurries Saturday in northern portion.

Southern New England—Fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

Eastern Pennsylvania—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

New Jersey—Fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Sunday night; continued cold Sunday.

Western Pennsylvania and Western New York—Mostly cloudy and somewhat colder, possibly snow flurries, Saturday. Sunday fair; continued cold.

NEW YORK CITY WEATHER RECORDS.

Official Temperature.

3 AM	34	12 M	34	6 PM	35
6 AM	33	1 PM	34	7 PM	34
8 AM	35	2 PM	34	8 PM	33
9 AM	35	3 PM	34	9 PM	34
10 AM	34	4 PM	34	10 PM	34
11 AM	32	5 PM	34		

Average temperature yesterday, 34.
Average same date last year, 26.
Average same date for 46 years, 33.
High yesterday, 36, at 8.05 A. M.; low, 32, at 11 A. M.

Barometer—8 A. M., 29.83; 8 P. M., 29.60.
Humidity—8 A. M., 69; 8 P. M., 68.
Wind—8 A. M., south; velocity, 24 miles; 8 P. M., northwest; velocity, 36 miles.
Weather—8 A. M., cloudy; 8 P. M., cloudy.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Forecast:

North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

South Carolina and Georgia—Fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

Florida—Fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Sunday and in north and central Saturday.

Extreme Northwest Florida, Alabama and Mississippi—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; colder Saturday and Saturday night; continued cold Sunday.

Tennessee—Mostly cloudy Saturday; colder Saturday night, Sunday fair; continued cold.

Kentucky—Mostly cloudy and colder Saturday. Sunday fair, continued cold.

Ohio—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; continued cold.

Illinois—Somewhat unsettled Saturday; Sunday mostly fair; no decided change in temperature.

Indiana—Somewhat unsettled Saturday. Sunday probably fair, continued cold.

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy to cloudy Saturday and Sunday, probably some snow along Lake Michigan; continued cold.

Upper Michigan—Partly cloudy to cloudy Saturday and Sunday; probably light snow Saturday near Lake Superior; continued cold.

Wisconsin—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; not so cold Sunday in west.

Missouri—Partly cloudy and somewhat unsettled Saturday. Sunday probably fair; no decided change in temperature.

Iowa—Partly cloudy to cloudy Saturday and Sunday; not so cold Sunday in west.

Minnesota—Somewhat unsettled Saturday and Sunday; continued cold.

North and South Dakota—Somewhat unsettled Saturday and Sunday; not so cold Sunday.

Nebraska—Partly cloudy to clear Saturday and Sunday; slightly warmer Sunday in east.

Kansas—Partly cloudy to fair Saturday and Sunday; no decided change in temperature.

Montana—Mostly cloudy and somewhat unsettled Saturday and Sunday; no decided change in temperature.

Wyoming—Fair to partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; somewhat colder Saturday in northeast.

Eastern and Western Texas—Saturday and Sunday generally fair; little change in temperature.

Fire Record.

A. M. Loss.
1:00—284 St. Nicholas Av.; not given. Not given
1:10—300 W. 57 St., taxicab; not given. Trifling
1:10—140 Dyckman St.; not given....Slight
1:40—205 E. 54 St., auto; not given. Not given
1:57—3,875 Broadway; Krocker.......Slight
2:20—641 E. 231 St., Bronx; Joseph Gulogino.......Not given
2:25—412 E. 71 St., rubbish; not given. Slight
3:10—214 W. 148 St.; not given..No damage
3:15—61 Washington Square South; Catherine Blanchford.......Trifling
5:07—550 Greenwich St.; not given. No damage
5:30—105 E. 131 St.; Goodyear Rubber Co.. Slight
6:30—Foot of 135 St. and North River, rubbish.......No damage
7:00—Eagle and Westchester Avs., Bronx; "L" structure.......Not given
7:00—531 W. 29 St.; not given....Not given
7:40—231 Delancey St., truck; Bransam Meat Company.......Slight
8:55—66 E. 10 St.; Dr. Van Vleit.Not given
10:00—142 W. 17 St.; not given.......Slight
10:45—222 W. 122 St.; not given..Not given
11:45—225 W. 69 St.; David Israel.Not given
11:50—115 W. 126 St.; Edward Prout, Not given
12:05—992 Columbus Av.; Nora Barry, Not given
12:30—607 W. 170 St.; Samuel Bloom..Slight
1:13—292 Cherry St.; Steve Kuloski..Slight
1:40—311 W. 16 St.; Edward Spencer, Not given
3:18—209 W. 61 St.; Rose Engel.......Slight
3:20—434 3d Av.; Shapiro & Wexler..Slight
4:18—54 Morningside Av.; not given, Slight
6:05—1,362 Wilkins Av., Bronx; not given, Not given
6:30—61 St. and West End Av.; auto, not given.......No damage
7:40—50 James St.; Christmas tree; not given.......Slight
7:45—286 E. 156 St., the Bronx; A. Zerrillo. Not given
9:00—790 11 Av.; not given.......Not given
9:10—590 E. 141 St., the Bronx; not given..Not given
9:15—104 Chrystie St.; Otto Specter. No damage
10:20—511 E. 69 St.; Lenox Hill Settlement Association.......Slight

SHIPPING AND MAILS

Hours are given in Eastern Standard Time.

THE TIDES.

	Sandy Hook. A.M.	P.M.	Governors Island. A.M.	P.M.	Hell Gate. A.M.	P.M.
High water	4:50	5:13	5:27	5:50	7:38	8:10
Low water	11:16	11:21	11:49	11:53	1:32	2:00

THE SUN.

Rises. A.M.	Sets. P.M.
7:18	4:36

Steamships Arrived Yesterday

Steamer.	From.	Date.	Steamer.	From.	Date.
MEDEA	La Guayra	Dec. 16	ARDMORE	Tampico	Dec. 15
SAMA	Kingston	Dec. 19	WILLHILO	Philadelphia	Dec. 24
FELTORE	Daiquiri	Dec. 18	LIBERTY	Philadelphia	Dec. 24
MANAAR	Philadelphia	Dec. 24	PORTLAND MARU	Savannah	Dec. 21
CITY MONTGOMERY	Savannah	Dec. 22	ROBERT E. LEE	Miami	Dec. 22
AUSTRALIN	Boston	Dec. 24	FIRPARK	Havana	Dec. 11
SAN JACINTO	Galveston	Dec. 19	OHIOAN	Philadelphia	Dec. 24

Incoming Steamships

Steamer and Line.	Sailed From.	Due.	Will Dock.
*CASTILIAN PRINCE, Prince	Bahia, Dec. 10	†Today, A.M.	§45th St.
*MUNARGO, Munson	Nassau, Dec. 22	†Tomorrow, P.M.	Old Slip.
*ALAGRETE, Lloyd Brazil	Bahia, Dec. 9	†Tomorrow	§44th St.
*ECUADOR, Panama Mail	San Francisco, Nov. 28	†Tomorrow	§Hamilton Av.
*LAKE FLATTERY, Pan R. R.	Cristobal, Dec. 16	†Tomorrow	W. 25th St.
*PASTORES, United Fruit	Port Limon, Dec. 19	Tomorrow	Fulton St.
*KENTUCKIAN, Am. & Haw.	Los Angeles, Dec. 3	Tomorrow	§43d St.
*CALEDONIA, Anchor	Glasgow, Dec. 19	Monday	W. 15th St.
*ALAUNIA, Cunard	Liverpool, Dec. 19	Monday	W. 15th St.
*DORIC, White Star	Liverpool, Dec. 19	Monday	W. 18th St.
*ALBERT BALLIN, Ham. Amer.	Hamburg, Dec. 18	†Monday, A.M.	W. 46th St.
*STOCKHOLM, Swed. Amer.	Gothenburg, Dec. 17	†Monday, A.M.	W. 57th St.
*FT. VICTORIA, Furness	Bermuda, Dec. 26	Monday	W. 55th St.
*SANTA ELISA, Grace	Valparaiso, Dec. 9	†Monday, A.M.	§Hamilton Av.
*MEXICO, N. Y. & Cuba	Havana, Dec. 24	Monday	§Joralemon St.
*SAN JOSE, United Fruit	P. Colombia, Dec. 17	Monday	Rector St.
*BYRON, Greek	Piraeus, Dec. 13	Monday	§30th St.
*MINNEWASKA, Atl. Trans.	London, Dec. 20	Tuesday	W. 16th St.
*AMER. FARMER, Am. Merch.	London, Dec. 19	Tuesday	Rector St.
*OSCAR II., Swed. Amer.	Copenhagen, Dec. 18	Tuesday	‡17th St.
*ROMA, Fabre	Alexandria, Nov. 29	Tuesday	§31st St.
*VESTRIS, Lamport & Holt	Rio de Janeiro	Tuesday	‡14th St.
*MARTINIQUE, Colombian	Kingston, Dec. 22	Tuesday	Cuyler's Alley
*PORTO RICO, Porto Rico	San Juan, Dec. 24	Tuesday	§Hamilton Av.
*COROZAL, Porto Rico	San Juan, Dec. 23	Tuesday	§Hamilton Av.
*SIBONEY, N. Y. & Cuba	Havana, Dec. 21	Tuesday	Wall St.
*CARIBOO, Daniel Bacon	Sierra Leone, Dec. 9	Tuesday	§Beard St.
*HOMERIC, White Star	Southampton, Dec. 23	Wednesday	W. 17th St.
*FINLAND, Pan Pacific	San Francisco, Dec. 12	Wednesday	W. 21st St.
*OLANCHO, Atl. Nav.	Porto Cortez	Wednesday	Catharine Slip
*TACHIRA, Red D.	Maracaibo, Dec. 19	Wednesday	§11, Furman.
*ARABIC, White Star	Hamburg, Dec. 19	Thursday	W. 18th St.
*DE GRASSE, French	Havre, Dec. 23	Thursday	W. 15th St.
*P. DE SATRUSTEGUI	Cadiz, Nov. 30	Thursday	Cuyler's Alley
*MAYARO, Trinidad	Trinidad, Dec. 24	Thursday	§Congress St.
*P. DER NEDERLANDAN, R. D.	Port au Prince, Dec. 25	Thursday	§Montague St.
*SIXAOLA, United Fruit	Santa Marta, Dec. 24	Thursday	Fulton St.
*PANAMA, Pan R. R.	Cristobal, Dec. 23	Thursday	W. 25th St.
*ROSALIND, Red Cross	St. John's, Dec. 26	Thursday	§Java St.
*ANTONIA, Cunard	Southampton, Dec. 23	Friday	W. 14th St.

*Carries mail. †Reported by wireless. §Brooklyn. ‡Hoboken.

Outgoing Passenger and Mail Steamships

The following table shows the destination of steamers, the lines operating them, when their mails close (at General Postoffice and City Hall Stations), when they sail, location of piers and points for which they carry mail:

SAIL TODAY (Dec. 26)

VEENDAM (Holland America Line), Rotterdam (mails close noon; sails 3 P. M.), 5th St., Hoboken. Great Britain, France, Netherlands. Must be specially addressed. Parcel post for Netherlands.

ZEELAND (Red Star Line), Antwerp (mails close *7:30 A. M.; sails 11:30 A. M.), W. 20th St. Great Britain, FRANCE, Belgium, Luxemburg. Must be specially addressed. Parcel post for Belgium, Luxemburg and Belgian Congo.

REGINA (White Star Line), Liverpool (mails close noon; sails 4 P. M.), W. 18th St. Irish Free State. Great Britain, Northern Ireland must be specially addressed. Also parcel post.

MALVERNIAN (Funch, Edye & Co.), Port Said (mails close 1:30 P. M.; sails 5 P. M.), Egypt. Also parcel post.

ORIZABA (New York & Cuba Mail S. S. Co.), Havana (mails close *8 A. M.; sails 11 A. M.), Wall St. Cuba. Specially addressed only.

PONCE (Porto Rico Line), San Juan (mails close *8:30 A. M.; sails noon), Hamilton Av., Brooklyn. Porto Rico, St. Thomas, St. Croix, Saba, St. Martins, St. Eustatius, La Romana, San Pedro de Macoris, Santo Domingo City. Also parcel post.

METAPAN (United Fruit Co.), Tela (mails close 9 A. M.; sails 11 A. M.), Fulton St. Guatemala and British Honduras, El Salvador letters only. Also parcel post.

CALAMARES (United Fruit Co.), Port Limon (mails close *9 A. M.; sails 11 A. M.), Rector St. Costa Rica. Cuba, Canal Zone, Panama must be specially addressed. Also parcel post.

LIMON (United Fruit Co.), Porto Colombia (mails close *9 A. M.; sails noon), Rector St. Jamaica and Colombia (except Cartagena, Magdalena, Narino Departments). Also parcel post.

SILVIA (Red Cross Line), Hamilton (mails close 7 A. M.; sails 11 A. M.), Java St. Brooklyn. Newfoundland. Parcel post for Newfoundland.

FORT ST. GEORGE (Furness Bermuda Line), Hamilton (mails close 8 A. M.; sails 11 A. M.), W. 55th St. Bermuda. Also parcel post.

CHOLUTECA (Atlantic Navigation Corp.), Porto Cortez (mails close 10 A. M.; sails 2 P. M.), Catharine Slip. Honduras (except Amapala City, Choluteca, Cauca and Narino Departments of Colombia, and prints, &c., for Nacaome, Tegucigalpa, Yuscaran). Parcel post for Porto Cortez and San Pedro Sula.

VANDYCK (Lamport & Holt Line), Buenos Aires (mails close *11 A. M.; sails 3 P. M.), 14th St., Hoboken. Barbados, South Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay. Also parcel post.

SAIL TOMORROW (Dec. 27)

PARIS (French Line), Havre (mails close 2 P. M.; sails 9:30 P. M.), W. 15th St. France. Other countries must be specially addressed. Registered mail closes midnight Saturday.

MUNARGO (Munson Line), Nassau (mails close 11:30 A. M.; sails 3 P. M.), Old Slip. Bahamas (including Inagua and Fortune Islands). Also parcel post.

SAIL MONDAY (Dec. 28)

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V. EMANUELE	Londonderry	Dec. 29	PHONIT	S. Dom. City	Dec. 21
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DUNROBIN	Buenos Aires	Dec. 25

SAILED.

Steamer.	From.	Date.
THURINGIA	Hamburg	Dec. 24
AGWISTONE	Colon	Dec. 24
BOSWELL	Buenos Aires	Dec. 24

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The New York daily closing time for the mail is 7 A. M., Eastern Standard Time, from the General Postoffice, and 11 P. M. the previous night, or a little later, at the air mail letter boxes, painted red, white and blue, which are located in various parts of the city. The closing time at the box in Times Square is 11:25 P. M.

Thursday's air mail from San Francisco has been delayed by bad weaher and will arrive by train today from Cleveland at 8 A. M.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—Thursday's transcontinental air mail from New York is being held over night at Salt Lake City, Utah, and is due to arrive here Saturday afternoon.

Friday's transcontinental air mail running from San Francisco to New York was reported running on time out of Elko, Nev.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

The 'Christmas Rise in Prices'—The Stock Exchange in December and January.

All markets were closed for the Christmas holiday yesterday, both at home and abroad. It is the one day of the year on which suspension of financial activities is always world-wide. The Stock Exchanges and most of the commodity markets will keep holiday today also, here and in foreign parts.

The approach of this triple holiday might possibly have been expected to occasion the closing-out of commitments on whichever side of the markets the largest open speculative account existed. That being so, it was perhaps not unnatural that both the stock market and the grain markets should have advanced with some emphasis during the present week. Some stocks had been bid up violently in other recent weeks, notably railway shares; but the trend has been downward in a good part of the market, and there has undoubtedly been persistent professional selling for the "short account." The decline of wheat prices from $1.82 per bushel on Dec. 4 to $1.68¼ at the beginning of last week made a similar inference reasonable in that market.

But the violence with which the recovery was conducted this week pointed to early and reasonably complete reversal of the speculative position; also to the continued existence of a spirit of speculative extravagance. The "Christmas rise" used to be an old tradition on the Stock Exchange. Wall Street, which usually prefers some other explanation than the obvious one, has solemnly declared on such occasions (as it did last week) that the market was rising because of the all-pervasive spirit of Christmas cheer.

The theory would be open to doubt in any case; not only because even the Scrooges of fiction were, so to speak, Wall Street men, but because the average professional speculator is not a creature of sentiment and is quite as willing to accumulate his Christmas money by sales on a falling market as by purchases on the rise. The real explanation of the advancing markets which have been frequent in the last weeks of December is that, in a good business year, that is the period for announcing favorable dividends; also that the professional operator who buys stocks late in December and chances a tightening money market to do so usually has in mind an outside public whose "January coupon money" will be available for reinvestment or for speculation after New Year's Day.

Sometimes this second calculation has worked out correctly, but sometimes not; the "public" is nowadays not altogether the patient and much-enduring beast of burden that professional Wall Street used to picture. The test of that part of the situation during the next few weeks will be interesting—even although it has occasionally turned out, in recent years, that the early January market was the worst possible indication to the market of the four or five coming months.

TELLS OF NEW PROCESS TO CUT STEEL COST

Dr. Patrick of Johns Hopkins Also Predicts Cheaper Oil and Refrigeration.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 25 (AP).—A considerable decrease soon in the cost of producing steel, refining petroleum and in refrigeration was predicted today by Dr. W. A. Patrick, Professor of Chemistry at Johns Hopkins University. Dr. Patrick based his prediction upon the practical application now being made of a substance he invented during the war known as silica gel, a colloidal silica which possesses great absorbent qualities.

Dr. Patrick said that a steel mill in England was using the process successfully and that the United States Steel Corporation had plans under way to install the new system in one of its plants; that a New England company was manufacturing refrigerator cars based upon the use of silica gel, and that the Paulsboro (N. J.) plant of the Standard Oil Company was using the new material in the refinement of petroleum.

Silica gel, he explained, is made with water-glass and acids. It forms a substance which resembles coarse sand, but contains innumerable pores, so fine that they cannot be seen even under the highest-powered microscope. From the absorbent qualities of the substance he estimates that the surface of these pores in one gram of silica gel would cover half an acre. Its action is not chemical. The width of the pores, he estimates, is even less than a wave length of light. Its action depends upon the capillary attraction of the fine tubes which ramify it.

Dr. Patrick declared that the new product would also make it possible to obtain gasoline from natural gas at slight expense and benzine from coke oven gas. These uses by no means exhaust its possibilities, he said.

In the manufacture of steel, he said, water vapor in the air passing through the furnace has caused considerable difficulty in operation. By putting the air through silica gel it is dehydrated practically all of the moisture being removed, said Dr. Patrick.

In refining petroleum, he stated, silica gel removes sulphur-bearing constituents and gum-forming compounds.

The principle involved in refrigeration, Dr. Patrick said, is simple. The invisible pores of silica gel have such a strong attraction for water vapor that they act like a vacuum pump. In these pores the vapor is condensed to liquid, giving the substance an enormous power to absorb the vapor.

By placing a small flame under the gel the condensed vapor is driven off, so that the absorbent qualities of the gel operate unimpaired until the remaining water is frozen. Thus, Dr. Patrick explained, ice actually is produced by the application of heat.

Beattie Sugar Shows Net Loss.

An auditors' report of the Beattie Sugar Company for the year ended Sept. 30 shows a profit from operations before interest and depreciation and after amortization of cane plantations of $3,740. Interest charges totaled $260,517 and depreciation charges $186,813. Net loss for the year was $443,860. Bonds outstanding were reduced to $2,847,500.

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A Most Prosperous Year.

From almost every angle the year in the financial district has been the most prosperous in history, not only from the standpoint of actual money made by bankers and brokers but because of the fact that the machinery of distribution has worked so efficiently. One of the outstanding factors in any review of the economic situation is the increasing number of people throughout the country who are interested in securities of all sorts.

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A Year of Records.

The point has been made that although 1925 established more railroad records than any year of the last decade, the carriers were still far from being in an attractive speculative position. Despite the large earnings reported by the prosperous properties, such as the Atlantic Coast Line, Pennsylvania, New York Central and others, the division of earnings with the Government required by the Transportation act restrains the speculative public from active interest. In many cases a lack of knowledge of just how much a carrier may earn without being subject to recapture has prevented the railroad stocks from assuming a market position similar to industrial issues with corresponding earnings per share. This is as the more conservative railroad men wish it to be and they predict that as the speculative element in the roads decreases, regulation by the Government will become more liberal.

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Standstill Consolidation.

In spite of the general interest in the uniting of the railroads into a score of great systems, very little has been accomplished in this direction during the year. The chief reason, railroad men say, is that there was doubt in the collective mind of the Interstate Commerce Commission as to how far its authority extended, doubt in the minds of the railroad executives as to how far they might go in proposing unification plans and doubt in the minds of the people as to whether consolidation was really a good thing. Even President Coolidge, who strongly advocated consolidation in his earlier public utterances, was lukewarm on the subject in his message to Congress. Now that the commission has admitted its inability to formulate a general plan, it is confidently expected that 1926 will see greater progress in railroad grouping.

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Violating a Tradition.

Another Wall Street tradition was broken in the record for new financing in the short Christmas week that ended Thursday. It has been a rule not to offer major issues during holiday week, but several important flotations have been made in the last few days. These included an issue of $15,000,000 Swedish-American Investment Corporation preferred stock just two days before Christmas, and the offering on the same day of $9,575,000 Nickel Plate Railroad bonds. Both issues, it was announced, were oversubscribed.

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Importance of Foreign Loans.

Bankers who make a specialty of studying conditions in the international field say that the large volume of foreign loans floated in this country this year has played an importanut part in the general progress toward rehabilitation in Europe. Some declare it would not be too much to say that the success of the Locarno conference was due in part to the large advances of American capital which have enabled industries in various parts of the world to get on their feet. This has been particularly true in Germany, where industries, banks, States and municipalities have absorbed more than a quarter of a billion dollars of American capital since the first of the year. But for restrictions imposed by the Berlin financial authorities the total would have been much larger. These restrictions are commended by bankers, however, as they furnish assurance that American loans to Germany go solely into productive enterprises. For the coming year it is likely that Germany, Italy and the countries of South America will furnish the basis for the largest part of American investments abroad.

Mergers in 1926.

Any number of people are to be found in the financial district who believe that 1926 will be a year of mergers. Already several of them are under negotiation. These include two or three railroad mergers, with others awaiting a decision on the Van Sweringen consolidation, the possible merger of two large steel companies, the creation of a large independent oil company through the merger of several smaller ones, two or three mergers of radio companies, and several others in miscellaneous lines of business. The drift of management seems to be toward concentration. Of course, Wall Street men are interested in the mergers because of the profits they make out of putting the companies together and in guiding them through early difficulties. Somehow or other the very word merger appears to fan the speculative flame in Wall Street.

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World Stabilization Gaining.

Marked progress toward international stabilization has been made during the year with the return of Great Britain to the gold standard as the chief feature. This action, taken last April, has had far reaching results. It was followed by a return to gold in several European countries and others in various parts of the world, and has greatly facilitated world trade and financial operations. With the exception of France and a few of the minor countries, most of the nations have maintained their exchange on a stable basis. Sterling has been but little below par since the end of April, although early in the Autumn seasonal pressure caused sufficient declines to bring about the shipment of about $40,000,000 in gold from London to New York. Belgium has effectively stabilized its exchange in preparation for the resumption of gold payments, and similar measures have been taken in Italy. Exchange has strengthened consistently in Japan and the important South American countries.

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A Situation Resolving.

In the opinion of utility executives this year saw the bus converted from an enemy to an ally of traction lines. Where heretofore the bus has been regarded solely as a dangerous competitor, it is in some sections becoming a subsidiary to electric street car routes. The coordination of bus and trolley service has been most notable in New Jersey, but elsewhere traction companies are gradually coming to look upon the bus as a feeder for existing car lines. In areas where the population is not sufficient to warrant capital expenditure on permanent routes the bus may be used as an intermediate form of transportation.

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Public Utility Financing.

Much of the activity in the flotation of new bonds during the closing weeks of the year centred on public utility financing. While many other classes of bonds slowed down with the approach of the holidays and foreign offerings ceased entirely, traction, gas and power companies in various parts of the country disposed of good-sized issues. The public utility industry experienced an unusually prosperous year in 1925, and the bonds of the larger companies have found a ready market with the investing public. The industry is expanding so rapidly, with the mergers of many important properties, the opening up of new territories, and the formation of super-power systems in many parts of the country, that large scale financing has been necessary. The industry is one of the few in this country in which this has been the case, as most others had been expanded to at least a level with consumptive demand in the days of the war.

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The Improved Oil Outlook.

The year 1925 will be the most prosperous experienced by the petroleum industry since 1920. This is evidenced by the increased earnings reported by the various independent and Standard Oil organizations and the fact that the dividend distributions by the latter established a new high record for all time. This showing was made in spite of the fact that prices for both crude and refined were materially below those of recent years, but the lower prices were more than offset by increased volume, as both production and consumption established new high records. In view of this, the general opinion is that the industry will enter 1926 in better shape than at any time in more than five years. Stocks of crude oil continue large, but production is on the decline. Current output is the smallest reported for any time since early last Spring. Crude prices are tending upward, as evidenced by the recent advances in Pennsylvania, but some of the more conservative interests are hoping that a general advance will be delayed for fear that higher prices will again stimulate production.

NICKEL PLATE REPORTS GAIN

Net for Eleven Months Increased, but November Was Off.

The New York, Chicago & St. Louis Railway — the Nickel Plate — for the eleven months ended Nov. 30, reports gross revenues of $50,017,924, an increase of $456,515 compared with the corresponding period last year. Net operating income for the eleven months aggregated $9,813,826, an increase of $1,186,536. Net income amounted to $6,023,339, an increase of $777,039. Operating ratio for eleven months was 72.11 per cent., against 75.08 last year.

Gross revenues for November aggregated $4,528,092, a decrease of $16,733 compared with November last year. Net operating income amounted to $763,149, a decrease of $338,156, and net income after all charges was $415,865, a decrease of $356,072.

FLORIDA EMBARGO STAYS.

But Express Company "Hopes" to Resume Shipments Monday.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 25 (AP).—"There is no announcement to make," W. G. Smith of Atlanta, Vice President of the American Railway Express Company, told The Associated Press here tonight relative to the proposal to lift the embargo, effective since Dec. 17 on outbound express matter. "There has been no decision made," he added.

Walter Buckner of Jacksonville, Superintendent of the express company, had previously said that "we hope to raise the embargo Monday, handling shipments in the usual manner."

Possibility that the embargo might be lifted was received with great interest by shippers of fruits and vegetables throughout the State. The shippers have borne the brunt of this particular embargo, placed because of a congested condition at Jacksonville terminals of the express company.

Report Slump in Shipbuilding.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—A decline in shipbuilding was shown in Commerce Department figures tonight, which disclosed that the principal steel yards had 102 vessels under construction Dec. 1, as compared with 158 Nov. 1. There were twenty-five wooden vessels under construction Dec. 1, as compared with 21 Nov. 1.

BRITISH SEE FILM TAX LOSS.

Fear Restriction on Our Movies Would Cut Revenue of Theatres.

LONDON, Dec. 25 (AP).—England continues to make a lively issue of the ascendency of American films in the British Isles. The recent adverse vote of movie theatre owners on the question of making compulsory the exhibition of a fixed proportion of British films in British houses, however, has thrown a new light on the problem and halted action.

That the British exhibitors would prefer British films if they were equal to American films and had as good drawing power, was made perfectly clear. But the men who run the theatres have indicated plainly that the compulsory exhibition of British films, in their opinion, would lessen the receipts of film houses. In other words, it would also reduce the income which the Government receives from amusement taxes.

That put the question in a new light. The Government needs all it can get from amusement taxes, and there is apparently less eagerness to rush legislation which would affect the Treasury.

Many prominent exhibitors have said very frankly that the public wants American films for the very good reason that the British makers do not supply films which appeal widely to theatregoers. They have said that they do not see any prospect of supplying a large quantity of satisfactory British films in the immediate future.

Consequently, the enforced exhibition of a certain quota of British films might ruin many houses without bettering the film industry, as the public will not pay to see films which it does not like.

PACIFIC MERGER HAILED BY OIL MEN

Executives Call Proposed Union With Standard One of the Greatest in History.

RESTORES OLD SUPREMACY

California Corporation, With Assets of $447,000,000, Would Rank Next to New Jersey.

The proposed consolidation of the Pacific Oil Company with the Standard Oil Company of California, under one organization, to be dominated by the latter, is one of the most important consolidations ever planned in the history of the oil industry, according to opinions expressed yesterday by executives affiliated with some of the largest companies in the industry. In one quarter the consolidation, which is subject to the approval of the stockholders of each company, was considered more important than the recent consolidation of the Magnolia Petroleum Company of Texas and the Standard Oil Company of New York, because of the fact that the latter previous to the consolidation controlled 70 per cent. of the capital stock of the Texas organization.

An executive of prominence in the industry yesterday asserted that the new combination, which affects two of the largest companies on the Pacific Coast would place the Standard Oil Company of California in a formidable position. According to this executive the combination would place the Standard Oil Company of California as second in rank to that of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the leader in the world's petroleum industry. Standard of California previously held this position of second in rank, but it was lost through the recent Magnolia-Standard Oil of New York consolidation, and the deal now under way would restore the California corporation to its old position in the industry.

From the standpoint of assets carried on the books of the Standard Oil of New York-Magnolia combination, and the Standard Oil Company, California-Pacific Oil combination, the former group still holds first place, but from an operating standpoint the latter combination is considered the more important from a trade standpoint. It was also said that the supremacy of the Standard Oil of New York-Magnolia combination, in the matter of total assets, was partly due to the fact that the former's holdings of Magnolia stock are carried among the assets of the Standard Oil Company of New York. The total assets of the Standard Oil of New York and Magnolia Petroleum Company, according to their latest official balance sheets, aggregate $618,000,000, whereas the total assets of the Standard of California-Pacific Oil combination would approximate $447,000,000. But Standard Oil of New York's investment in Magnolia was carried at about $125,000,000 in the last annual report. This total has been increased through the recent acquisition of the minority stockholdings of the Magnolia Company.

The following table gives figures covering the more important items in the income account and balance sheets of the Standard Oil Company of California and the Pacific Oil Company.

	Standard Oil of California. 1924.	Pacific Oil. 1924.
Capital stock	$235,228,447	*$52,500,000
Earnings after exp.	44,354,798	12,466,443
Net profits	26,601,514	11,893,766
Cash dividends	7,881,485	7,000,000
Earned per share	2.83	3.40
Profit & loss surplus	73,366,667	13,239,395
Total assets	352,804,871	95,385,781
Current assets	109,504,341	14,735,232
Current liabilities	18,447,533	5,653,772
Working capital	91,056,808	9,081,460

*Represented by 3,500,000 shares, no par value, carried on books at $15 a share, at which price stock was offered by Southern Pacific Company when it segregated its oil properties and organized the Pacific Oil Company.

The proposed consolidation is the third important deal in which three of the largest Standard Oil companies in the country have been involved in 1925. These combinations give rise to the belief, in some circles, that the various Standard Oil organizations are doing everything in their power to bolster their position in the producing branch of the petroleum industry. In the old days of the Standard Oil organization it was the policy of the management to let the little fellow who carried the risk of drilling oil wells find new production, while the Standard organizations would refine all the oil produced. Within the last ten years, however, the so-called little fellows have grown into strong, independent oil organizations, with refineries and distributing organizations of their own. This situation, it was said yesterday, has forced the hand of the Standard organizations to control their own production, and the expansion of the last ten years has been chiefly along these lines.

The first important deal in which Standard Oil companies were involved came to light early last Spring, when it was learned that the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, another of the stronger Standard organizations, had acquired control of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport Company from Edward L. Doheny and his associates. This transaction was topped off by another important development lately when the Pan-American Petroleum Company, under Standard Oil control, acquired the properties of the Lago Petroleum Company, which controls large production in the Lake Maracaibo Basin, in Venezuela. The other two deals are the Standard Oil of New York-Magnolia merger and the present deal involving Standard Oil of California and Pacific Oil.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25 (AP).—Further details regarding the proposed merger of the Standard Oil Company of California and the Pacific Oil Company, announced last night in New York, were contained in a telegram received here today from Paul Shoup, President of the Pacific company, by Vice President N. E. Lombard.

"The consolidation takes into consideration fully the interests of all companies concerned," the telegram said. "The Pacific Oil Company retains its Associated Oil Company stock, its current assets in cash, oil and securities, pays off its own obligations and also retains all joint property interests with Associated except one-third in the Associated pipe line, which goes to the consolidated company.

"The net value of assets retained by the Pacific in addition to the value of Associated oil shares, of which it owns 1,229,575, is in excess of $20,000,000, after payment of January dividends. The date of consolidation will depend upon the time necessary to take legal steps."

Mr. Shoup said that the Standard Oil Company had arranged to retain all the Pacific organization as far as possible.

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MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE STATE BANK
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December 11th, 1925.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of The State Bank, New York, for the election of Directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at the banking house, 374-378 Grand Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Tuesday, January 12th, 1926, at 12 noon. The polls will be open from 12 to 1 P. M.

CLARENCE E. JAMES,
Cashier.

UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK
45 Wall Street, December 22, 1925.

An Election for Trustees to supply the places of those whose terms of office expire, and for Inspectors of the next election ensuing thereafter, will be held at the office of the Company on the 5th day of January next, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

WILFRED J. WORCESTER, Secretary.

EXPORTS OF JAPAN SHOW BIG INCREASE

Total of 1,656,525,000 Yen for Nine Months Is 375,000,000 Above Last Year's Figures.

GAIN OF 40 PER CENT. HERE

Reach 716,242,000 Yen, as Against 489,516,000—All Imports Except Raw Cotton Decline.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Japanese shipments to the United States during the first nine months of 1925 increased 40 per cent. over the corresponding period for the preceding year, according to advices received by Secretary Hoover and made public here today.

Increased trade with the United States and Asiatic countries and smaller trade with Europe are reported as the outstanding features of Japan's foreign trade.

Exports from Japan for the nine months totaled 1,656,525,000 yen, an increase of 375,000,000 yen over last year's figures. Exports to the United States reached 716,242,000 yen, as against 489,516,000 yen last year.

The largest increase in value was in exports to China, the 1925 total of 334,738,000 yen having been 63,300,000 yen greater than for the corresponding months of last year. The greatest relative increase was in the case of British Malaysia, the total of 31,052,000 yen being 90 per cent. greater than in the 1924 period.

Other important gains were Dutch East Indies, 42 per cent.; Kawantung leased territory, 40 per cent., and India, 29 per cent.

Among European countries, shipments to Great Britain dropped 5 per cent. and to France 74 per cent.

As regards imports, the total of 184,138,000 yen from Great Britain represents a decline of 68,500,000 yen, or 26 per cent., compared with the same period last year. Similarly, imports from Germany dropped 24 per cent., and there were smaller declines for practically all other European countries.

Imports from the United States were valued at 502,427,000 yen, a decline of 17,600,000, or about 3 per cent. There was an increase in imports of American raw cotton and a decline in practically all other commodities.

Reports received from Bland E. Calder, Assistant American Commercial Attaché at Tokio, indicate that the financial situation in Japan is improving. Mr. Calder says:

"The money market is easier than usual and the year-end settlements are expected to be completed without much difficulty. There are indications that the Bank of Japan will reduce its discount rate.

"Prices of stocks and bonds are rising. American bankers are reported to have made heavy purchases of Japanese securities.

"Issues of stocks and bonds during November totaled 205,200,000 yen, according to the report of the Japan Hypothec Bank. This is an increase of more than 100 per cent. in comparison with October and is the highest total reported since February."

IMPROVING FORD'S ROAD.

Work on Electrifying 17 Miles Is Going Ahead Rapidly.

Overhead construction for the electrification of Henry Ford's Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad has now been placed on the seventeen miles of the line between Fordson and Flat Rock, Michigan. The supporting structure is unique in design and consists essentially of precast reinforced concrete members bolted together and supported on concrete foundations.

On double track lines the supporting structure consists of two columns and two half-arches. Arches which span three or more tracks are lengthened by the addition of a filler member placed between the two half-arches. Reinforced steel in the castings is welded to special castings used at the ends of the members and the concrete is tamped after it is placed in the molds.

The ground wire is a 4-0 bronze wire supported by a simple satnary or messenger, a one-half inch seven-strand bronze wire. The supporting arches are placed 300 feet apart and the messenger wire is supported from the arches by porcelain insulators having a dry flashover voltage of 320,000 volts. The contact wire is hung from the messenger by bronze hangers spaced fifteen feet apart. When the wire is strung the messenger has a tension of about 3,000 pounds.

Increase in Loans, Investments and Deposits Shown in Latest Member Bank Report

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The Federal Reserve Board's statement of condition of 721 reporting member banks in leading cities as of Dec. 16 shows increases during the week of $17,000,000 in loans and discounts, $95,000,000 in investments, $107,000,000 in net demand deposits and $219,000,000 in Government deposits. These increases were accompanied by reductions of $58,000,000 in time deposits and $64,000,000 in borrowings from the Federal Reserve banks. Member banks in New York City reported declines of $1,000,000 in loans and discounts and $67,000,000 in borrowings from the Federal Reserve bank, together with increases of $23,000,000 each in investments and net demand deposits and of $54,000,000 in Government deposits.

Loans on United States Government securities declined $8,000,000 in the New York district. Loans on corporate stocks and bonds went up $72,000,000, increases being shown for all districts except Richmond and Atlanta. The principal increases in this item were $41,000,000 in the New York district and $15,000,000 in the Philadelphia district. All other loans and discounts fell off $47,000,000, of which $33,000,000 was in the New York district.

Investments in United States Government securities were $128,000,000 more than a week earlier, increases being shown for banks in all districts. The largest increases were as follows: New York district, $44,000,000; Boston district, $17,000,000; Cleveland district, $15,000,000, and the Philadelphia, Chicago and San Francisco districts, $9,000,000 each. Holdings of other bonds, stocks and securities declined $33,000,000, of which $14,000,000 was reported for the New York district and $8,000,000 and $7,000,000 for the Cleveland and San Francisco districts, respectively.

The increase of $107,000,000 in net demand deposits was participated in by all districts except Cleveland, Richmond and Dallas. The principal increases in this item were $34,000,000, in the New York district, $30,000,000 in the San Francisco district, $18,000,000 in the Chicago district, and $13,000,000 and $14,000,000 in the Boston and Philadelphia districts, respectively.

Time deposits were $58,000,000 less than last week. The largest declines of $44,000,000 and $10,000,000 were reported for the San Francisco and Boston districts, respectively. Government deposits went up $219,000,000, increases being reported by banks in all Federal Reserve districts.

The principal changes in borrowings from the Federal Reserve banks consisted of a reduction of $64,000,000 by banks in the New York district and of $16,000,000 and $11,000,000 by banks in the San Francisco and Boston districts, respectively, and an increase of $14,000,000 by banks in the Cleveland district.

A summary of changes in the principal assets and liabilities of reporting members during the week and the year ended Dec. 16, 1925, follows:

	Week.	Year.
Loans and discounts, total	+$17,000,000	+$1,080,000,000
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations	— 8,000,000	— 23,000,000
Secured by stocks and bonds	+ 72,000,000	+ 905,000,000
All other	— 47,000,000	+ 198,000,000
Investments, total	+ 95,000,000	— 81,000,000
U. S. bonds	— 9,000,000	+ 11,000,000
U. S. Treasury notes	+ 26,000,000	— 146,000,000
U. S. Treasury certificates	+111,000,000	+ 43,000,000
Other bonds, stocks and securities	— 33,000,000	+ 11,000,000
Reserve balances with F. R. Banks	+ 7,000,000	— 4,000,000
Cash in vault	+ 13,000,000	— 12,000,000
Net demand deposits	+107,000,000	+ 92,000,000
Time deposits	— 58,000,000	+ 469,000,000
Government deposits	+219,000,000	+ 77,000,000
Total accommodation at F. R. Banks	— 64,000,000	+ 287,000,000

+Increase. —Decrease.

Principal resources and liabilities of reporting member banks in leading cities as of Dec. 16:

	All Reporting Member Banks.		Reporting Member Banks in New York City.		
	Dec. 16, 1925.	Dec. 17, 1924.	Dec. 16, 1925.	Dec. 9, 1925.	Dec. 17, 1924.
Number of reporting banks	721	739	61	61	67
Loans and discounts, gross:					
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations	$168,415,000	$191,449,000	$51,699,000	$59,630,000	$69,347,000
Secured by stocks and bonds	5,511,818,000	4,606,869,000	2,168,111,000	2,130,033,000	1,933,953,000
All other loans and discounts	8,388,733,000	8,190,603,000	2,277,536,000	2,309,009,000	2,293,265,000
Total loans and discounts	$14,068,966,000	$12,988,921,000	$4,497,346,000	$4,498,672,000	$4,296,565,000
Investments:					
U.S. pre-war bds.	$223,449,000	$262,571,000	$29,784,000	$29,771,000	$41,348,000
U. S. Lib. bonds.	1,387,155,000	1,413,935,000	506,310,000	521,104,000	547,503,000
U.S. Treas. bds.	441,394,000	364,475,000	192,159,000	188,822,000	164,753,000
U.S. Treas. notes	371,858,000	517,454,000	185,424,000	156,770,000	199,723,000
U.S. Treas. ctfs.	197,447,000	154,058,000	38,119,000	13,465,000	63,678,000
Other bonds, stocks and securities	2,891,090,000	2,880,512,000	790,707,000	809,688,000	874,741,000
Total investments	$5,512,393,000	$5,593,005,000	$1,742,503,000	$1,719,620,000	$1,891,746,000
Total loans and investments	$19,581,359,000	$18,581,926,000	$6,239,849,000	$6,218,292,000	$6,188,311,000
Res. balances with F. R. Banks	$1,690,215,000	$1,694,009,000	$703,507,000	$724,911,000	$754,025,000
Cash in vault	326,694,000	338,421,000	78,697,000	71,119,000	82,503,000
Net demand dep.	13,261,037,000	13,169,492,000	5,189,044,000	5,166,027,000	5,355,109,000
Time deposits	5,284,937,000	4,816,408,000	781,093,000	785,260,000	812,534,000
Govt. deposits	257,581,000	180,305,000	63,401,000	9,649,000	28,596,000
Bills payable and redis. with F. R. Banks:					
Secured by U. S. Govt. obligations	246,938,000	90,739,000	41,965,000	83,795,000	9,635,000
All other	172,566,000	42,125,000	27,869,000	53,123,000	2,581,000
Total borrowings from F.R. Banks	$419,504,000	$132,864,000	$69,834,000	$136,918,000	$12,216,000

AGREE ON WOOL STANDARDS

American and British Interests End Conference Abroad.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 (AP).—An agreement on international wool standards has been reached between the authorities on British wool standards and American textile interests, George T. Willingmyre, who has charge of wool marketing and standardization matters in the Department of Agriculture, reported today upon his return to his office after conducting negotiations for three months in Europe.

The conference in England was held with representatives of the Bradford Chamber of Commerce, which determines all British wool standards. It resulted in the adoption of a duplicate set of standards, one to remain in England and one in the United States.

Other negotiators representing American interests were Marland C. Hobbs, for the woolen industry, and Warren C. Emery, for the Department of Commerce. Mr. Willingmyre also attended the International Conference on Wool at Berlin in November, which approved the collection of international statistics on the industry.

COL. THOMPSON IS BETTER.

Banker Hopes to Leave Europe for Home on Jan. 6.

PARIS, Dec. 25 (AP).—Colonel William Boyce Thompson, the American banker, who has been ill in London for the last week, is reported to be much better, and Mrs. Thompson, in Paris to arrange for a sailing, said today she hoped he would be able to return to America on the French liner Paris, sailing Jan. 6.

Mrs. Thompson said she and Colonel Thompson expected to go to Arizona for his health and that the Colonel was greatly cheered by the prospects of returning.

Illinois Central Income Rises.

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 (AP).—Net operating income of the Illinois Central Railroad for the first eleven months of 1925 increased $1,678,366 over the first eleven months of 1924, a report from the system said today. Net income for November exceeded the corresponding month in 1924 by $791,684, the report said. Net income for the eleven months was $27,304,895 and for November $3,026,843.

New Bond Offerings of the Week

Week Ended Dec. 25, 1925.

Bond or Note.	Amount.	Price.	Interest Rate.	Yield Per Cent.	Term Yrs.	Due.	Interest Payable.	Syndicate or Firm.
PUBLIC UTILITY								
Minnesota Power & Light Co. 1st & ref. mtg. gold bds.	$3,000,000	96½	5	5.23	30	1955	J.&D.	Harris, Forbes & Co., Tucker, Anthony & Co., Bonbright & Co., Inc., Coffin and Burr, Inc.
Chicago Rapid Transit Co. 1st & ref. mtg. gold bds.	2,000,000	95	6½	6.98	19	1944	J.&J.	National City Co., Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.
Illinois Northern Utilities Co. 1st & ref. mtg. gold bds.	2,500,000	92½	5	5.50	32	1957	A.&O.	Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.
Malone Light & Power Co. 1st mtg. gold bds.	737,500	98	5½	5.65	30	1956	J.&J.	F. L. Carlisle & Co., Inc., Northern New York Securities Corporation, Peoples Trust Co., Malone, N. Y.
Peninsular Telephone Co. 1st mtg. gold bds.	3,500,000	100	5½	5.50	25	1951	J.&J.	Coggeshall & Hicks, Bodell & Co.
Wisconsin Power & Light Co. 1st lien & ref. mtg. gold bonds	1,200,000	98½	5½	5.60	30	1955	J.&D.	Hill, Joiner & Co., Inc., Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc., Paine, Webber & Co.
INDUSTRIAL								
Davison Chemical Co. gold debs.	3,000,000	99¾	6½	6.50	6	1931	J.&J.	Century Trust Co., Baltimore, Imbrie & Co., Ltd., Frazier & Co., Inc.
Albert Pick & Co. s. f. gold debs.	6,000,000	98½	6	6.20	10	1936	J.&J.	Manufacturers Trust Co., A. G. Becker & Co., James H. Causey & Co.
Northern Redwood Lumber Co. 1st mtg. gold bds.	2,500,000	100	6	6	12	1937	J.&D.	Detroit Co., Inc.
RAILROAD								
N. Y., Chi. & St. L. Railroad Co. ref. mtg. gold bds.	9,575,000	99	5½	5.55	50	1975	J.&J.	Guaranty Co., Lee, Higginson & Co., Harris, Forbes & Co., Dillon, Read & Co.
STATE AND MUNICIPAL								
East Carroll Parish, La., road & bridge bonds	211,000	—	5	4.70	5-35	1931-61	J.&J.	R. M. Grant & Co., Inc.
Winter Haven, Fla., bonds	50,000	..	6	5.00-5.50	1-10	1926-35	M.&N.	Brandon, Gordon and Waddell.
Kansas City, Mo., school dist. bds.	950,000	..	4½	4.25	16	1941	J.&J.	Bankers Trust Co., William R. Compton Co.
Village of Rye, N.Y., bonds	75,000	..	4½	4.00-4.10	1-15	1926-40	M.&N.	Westcott and Parrott.
Cranston, R. I. school bonds	400,000	..	4	4.10-4.15	1-40	1927-66	J.&J.	Eastman, Dillon & Co.
Towns of North Hempstead & Hempstead, N. Y., school dist. bds.	300,000	..	4½	4.35-4.40	2-61	1927-86	J.&J.	A. M. Lamport & Co., Inc.
Dayton, Ohio, bdge. impvt. bonds	500,000	..	4¾	4.20-4.30	2-26	1927-51	M.&S.	Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.
Greensboro, N. C., gold bonds	525,000	..	4¾	4.30-4.50	2-37	1928-63	J.&J.	Bankers Trust Co., National City Co.

Real estate mortgage bonds are not included in this table.

$37,023,500 BONDS OFFERED THIS WEEK

Total Is $18,906,500 Less Than the Issues of Christmas Week a Year Ago.

BREAK IN TRADITION SEEN

Major Financing Was Announced, Interest Centring in Utility and Industrial Fields.

Despite the halt caused by the Christmas holidays, a total of $37,023,500 of new bonds was offered this week. This compared with $141,574,500 last week and $55,930,000 in the corresponding week a year ago. The offerings, by groups, of this and last week follow:

	This week.	Last week.
Public utility	$12,937,500	$13,962,000
Industrial	11,500,000	35,966,500
Railroad	9,575,000	1,200,000
State and municipal	3,011,000	42,446,000
Farm loan	....	41,000,000
Foreign	....	6,000,000
Insular possessions	....	1,000,000

Several important issues were brought out during the week, which was considered as a break in tradition, as it had not been customary to announce major financing in Christmas week. Interest centred to a large extent in the public utility and industrial fields. In the former the largest offerings were made of securities of companies operating in the Middle West, but most parts of the country were represented and there was a $3,500,000 issue of bonds of the Peninsula Telephone Company, a Florida concern. The largest industrial issue of the week consisted of $6,000,000 bonds of Albert Pick & Co., one of the largest hotel and institution supply houses in the country, which was recently merged with L. Barth & Son.

Railroad financing was represented by $9,575,000 bonds of the Nickel Plate, issued for refunding purposes. The bonds were sold in connection with the retirement of an equal amount of Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railroad bonds which were paid off July 1, 1925. The present issue is the first new offering of railroad mortgage securities since an issue of Soo Line bonds was brought out in the last week of October. The week's State and municipal offerings were all for comparatively small amounts and represented communities scattered across the country.

The offerings were readily absorbed and oversubscriptions were reported in many cases. The general bond market held well during the week, with a good demand in evidence. The higher money rates, represented by an advance to 6 per cent in call loans, received little attention in the bond market, being regarded as temporary and the result of settlements being arranged in preparation for the year-end. Several important issues are scheduled to be offered next week.

FINANCIAL NOTICES. FINANCIAL NOTICES.

Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company

Bondholders Protective Committee

Four Per Cent. Gold Bonds, due 1925;
Four Per Cent. Fifteen-Year European Loan of 1910 Bonds, due 1925;
4½% Convertible Gold Bonds, due 1932;
Four Per Cent. Twenty-Five Year Gold Bonds of 1909, due 1934;
Chicago, Milwaukee and Puget Sound Railway Company First Mortgage Four Per Cent. Gold Bonds, due 1949;
General and Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds, Series A and B, due 2014.

To all holders of Certificates of Deposit of Bank of New York and Trust Company issued under the Deposit Agreement dated as of October 5, 1925, between holders of the above bonds (or certificates of deposit representing such bonds) and the undersigned Committee:

The undersigned Committee having approved and adopted the Plan and Agreement dated June 1, 1925, for the Reorganization of Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company as modified by the Statement of Modifications dated November 19, 1925 and a copy of said Plan and Agreement and of the Modifications having been duly filed with the Depositary of this Committee and notice of such approval and adoption and of such filing having been duly given by publication as provided in the Deposit Agreement and the holders of Certificates of Deposit of this Committee representing 50% of the principal amount of the deposited securities not having filed notices of dissent from said Plan and Agreement as so modified within the period fixed by the Deposit Agreement, said Plan and Agreement as so modified has become effective and is binding upon all Depositors with this Committee who do not withdraw from the Deposit Agreement as hereinafter provided. Any depositor who has filed notice of dissent as aforesaid from said Plan and Agreement as so modified may, within twenty days after the first publication of this notice, withdraw from the Deposit Agreement and, upon presentation and surrender of his Certificates of Deposit to the Depositary, shall be entitled to receive the bonds (or certificates of deposit representing bonds) represented thereby.

All bonds not so withdrawn will forthwith be delivered by this Committee to the respective depositaries for such bonds under said Plan and Agreement as so modified in exchange for certificates of deposit issued under said Plan and Agreement as so modified. The certificates of deposit so received (and certificates of deposit that may have been already deposited with this Committee) will thereupon be distributed among the holders of Certificates of Deposit of this Committee in exchange for the Certificates of Deposit of this Committee and upon presentation and surrender thereof to the Depositary.

Dated New York, December 22, 1925.

GEORGE E. ROOSEVELT,
Chairman,
PHILIP A. BENSON,
CHARLES A. COLLINS,
EDWIN G. MERRILL,
WILLIS D. WOOD,
Committee.

E. T. GREGORY, *Secretary,*
30 Pine Street,
New York.

BANK OF NEW YORK AND TRUST COMPANY, Depositary,
52 Wall Street, New York.

DIVIDENDS.

BAYUK CIGARS
INCORPORATED
Philadelphia, Pa.

Quarterly dividend of 1¾% on the First Preferred stock of this corporation; 1¾% on the Convertible Second Preferred stock, and 2% on the 8% Second Preferred stock have been declared payable January 5th, 1926, to holders of said stock of record at the close of business December 31st, 1925.

Checks will be mailed.

Harvey L. Hirst, Secretary.

December 18th, 1925.

AMERICAN CAN COMPANY
Common Stock.

A quarterly dividend of one and one-quarter per cent. has been declared on the Common Stock of this Company; also an extra dividend of three per cent. on the Common Stock; both payable February 15th, 1926, to Stockholders of record at the close of business January 30th, 1926. Transfer Books will remain open. Checks mailed.

R. H. ISMON,
Secretary and Treasurer.

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY,
7th and Franklin Streets,
Richmond, Va.

The Board of Directors of the Virginia Electric and Power Company has declared a dividend of $1.50 per share on the 6% preferred stock of the Virginia Railway and Power Company, payable January 20, 1926 to holders of record December 31, 1925.

Dividend checks will be mailed.

G. B. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

THE DAVIS COAL AND COKE COMPANY
Baltimore, Maryland.

December 21, 1925.

A dividend of $3.00 per share has been declared on the capital stock of this Company, payable January 15, 1926, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1925.

Checks will be mailed.

H. M. GEORGE, Secretary.

U. S. INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL CO.
PREFERRED DIVIDENT NO. 77.

The regular quarterly dividend of 1¾% upon the preferred capital stock of this company has been declared, payable January 15, 1926, to preferred stockholders of record December 30, 1925. Transfer books will not be closed.

A. G. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

Dated December 19, 1925.

PHILLIPS-JONES CORPORATION

A quarterly dividend of One and Three Quarter (1¾%) Per Cent. on the Preferred stock of this company has been declared as of January 20th, 1926, payable on February 1st, 1926, to stockholders of record at the close of business January 20th, 1926, and the transfer books be not closed.

A. S. PHILLIPS, Treasurer.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, ss.:

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY that a certificate of dissolution of WERTHEIM REALTY COMPANY has been filed in this office this day and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with section one hundred and five of the Stock Corporation Law, and that it is dissolved.

GIVEN IN DUPLICATE under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the City of Albany, this twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

(Seal of State of New York Secretary of State)

MARK STERN,
Second Deputy Secretary of State.

PARTNERSHIP existing between L. Rosenberg and S. Fisher, under the firm name of the United Upholsterers, Inc., of 2234 Eighth Ave., has been dissolved.

S. FISHER.

DIVIDENDS.

Crucible Steel Company of America.

DIVIDEND NO. 22—RESOLVED, That a dividend of one and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) be declared out of undivided profits upon the Common stock of this Company, payable January 31, 1926, to stockholders of record January 15, 1926.

GEORGE E. SHAW, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

SHAWMUT CLAY MANUFACTURING CO.
Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SHAWMUT CLAY MANUFACTURING CO.:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Shawmut Clay Manufacturing Co. will be held in Room 702, No. 18 East 41st Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 4th day of January, 1926, at 10:00 A. M., for the purpose of authorizing the corporation to make, execute and deliver a mortgage upon the property and franchises of the corporation in the sum of Two hundred thousand ($200,000) Dollars to secure the payment of a series of bonds of said corporation to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate Two hundred thousand ($200,000) Dollars, to become due and payable at such time or times as the Board of Directors may determine but not later than the 31st day of December, 1935, said mortgage and bonds to provide for a sinking fund for the pro rata payment of said bonds and to provide for the redemption of such bonds at such times and in such amounts as the Board of Directors may determine, said bonds to bear interest at the rate of Six (6%) per centum per annum, and for the purpose of authorizing the disposition of said bonds, and

FOR the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated: December 24, 1925.

FRANK D. LAMBERT, Secretary.

CANADIAN CAR & FOUNDRY COMPANY, LIMITED.
ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the Canadian Car & Foundry Company, Limited, will be held at the Head Office of the Company, 307 Craig Street West, Montreal, on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive and consider the Annual Statement of the business and affairs of the Company, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

By order
A. C. BOURNE, Secretary.

Montreal, Dec. 22nd, 1925.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of this Bank for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting will be held at its banking house No. 31 Nassau Street, Tuesday, January 12 1926 at 12 o'clock noon. The polls will remain open for one hour.

THOMAS W. BOWERS, Vice President.

THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of directors, to amend the provisions of its Articles of Association with respect to the maximum number of directors and to act upon any other matters which may properly be brought before the meeting, will be held at the banking house, No. 57 Broadway, City and State of New York, on Tuesday, January 12, 1926, between the hours of 12 M and 1 P. M.

W. P. HOLLY, Cashier.

FINANCIAL NOTICES. FINANCIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION

To the Holders of Ten Year 7% Guaranteed Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of

Tidal Osage Oil Company

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of the Ten Year Seven Percent Guaranteed Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of Tidal Osage Oil Company, dated August 1, 1921, due August 1, 1931, and issued under an agreement dated August 1, 1921, between Tidal Osage Oil Company and The First National Bank of the City of New York as Trustee, and of said agreement, Tidal Osage Oil Company has elected to redeem and pay off on February 1, 1926, Seven Hundred Twenty Two Thousand Dollars ($722,000) principal amount of said bonds bearing the following numbers:

1 4 10 11 12 13 14 17 25 40 44 53 57 64 65 68 74 76 83 88 91 92 95 98 99 103 104 108 109 110 116 118 121 125 129 130 135 138 139 140 147 148 149 163 166 170 172 177 188 189 211 216 221 224 248 250
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563 569 572 576 584 589 598 601 602 611 617 619 619 627 638 641 643 644 651 661 668 676 682 690 691 693 697 707 715 733 735 754 759 764 773 786 792 795 803 823 829 834 840 845 851 853 857 864 868 872 878 883 884 885 888 895
903 920 926 928 949 955 965 978 979 980 988 994 1003 1010 1033 1051 1052 1053 1055 1070 1072 1076 1079 1084 1085 1096 1097 1099 1100 1103 1104 1106 1107 1118 1123 1131 1156 1163 1167 1168 1175 1179 1180 1185 1194 1198 1200 1204 1207 1211 1212 1218 1219 1220 1221 1222
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2107 2110 2111 2112 2113 2115 2116 2121 2149 2150 2151 2152 2155 2157 2162 2163 2172 2174 2175 2176 2177 2178 2183 2184 2186 2188 2193 2196 2208 2212 2214 2218 2221 2222 2229 2234 2238 2240 2241 2247 2266 2267 2285 2286 2288 2297 2299 2304 2312 2315 2318 2321 2331 2332 2344 2345
2346 2347 2351 2355 2362 2364 2372 2375 2377 2378 2384 2415 2418 2437 2453 2460 2461 2462 2463 2474 2483 2484 2485 2487 2488 2492 2495 2498 2501 2502 2504 2505 2513 2516 2519 2521 2523 2524 2533 2536 2539 2540 2549 2552 2568 2570 2571 2572 2573 2585 2589 2594 2597 2598 2599 2600
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3218 3219 3220 3221 3223 3224 3226 3231 3232 3233 3234 3237 3239 3241 3243 3245 3246 3247 3248 3249 3250 3251 3252 3253 3256 3257 3258 3259 3260 3262 3263 3266 3267 3271 3272 3273 3274 3278 3281 3282 3286 3312 3314 3315 3317 3321 3322 3323 3324 3326 3327 3328 3331 3332 3333 3334
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All of the Denomination of $1,000 Each.

Payment of said bonds at the principal amount thereof and unpaid accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption, together with a premium of three percent (3%) upon the principal thereof, will be made on February 1, 1926, at the office of The First National Bank of the City of New York, 2 Wall Street, New York, New York. Said bonds with all unmatured interest coupons thereto attached shall be presented and surrendered at said office on or after February 1, 1926; after that date interest on said bonds will cease to accrue.

Dated, New York, November 28, 1925.

TIDAL OSAGE OIL COMPANY
By F. A. MARSELLUS
Assistant Treasurer

To The Holders of The First and Refunding Mortgage 20-Year 7½% Sinking Fund Gold Bonds of the **BEAVER PRODUCTS COMPANY, INC.**, issued and outstanding under its Mortgage or Deed of Trust, to Central Trust Company of Illinois and Aksel K. Bodholdt, as Trustee, of date July 1, 1922:

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of said Mortgage or Deed of Trust, the undersigned, as Trustee, has designated by lot sufficient bonds to exhaust as near as may be, all moneys now in the Sinking Fund, such bonds bearing numbers as follows:

M-81, 162, 260, 313, 327, 329, 345, 371, 392, 449, 456, 498, 620, 661, 680, 739, 740, 757, 759, 837, 865, 893, 927, 960, 961, 1004, 1022, 1029, 1046, 1050, 1069, 1238, 1273, 1284, 1310, 1311, 1355, 1363, 1371, 1373, 1397, 1406, 1465, 1479, 1596, 1680, 1725, 1761, 1787, 1793, 1797, 1846, 1922, 1936, 2021, 2023, 2026, 2040, 2046, 2047, 2057, 2060, 2087, 2090, 2091, 2097, 2107, 2254, 2292, 2294, 2322, 2338, 2393, 2501, 2505, 2509, 2523, 2537, 2538, 2567, 2628, all of the denomination of $1,000.00 each.

D-52, 69, 83, 85, 90, 128, 136, 169, 184, 200, 202, 206, 213, 275, 279, 280, 282, 293, 358, 404, 457, 486, 498, 533, 545, 546, 554, 576, 611, 634, 661, 663, all of the denomination of $500.00 each.

C-31, 73, 87, 98, 102, 108, 119, 181, 188, 226, 228, 239, 240, 254, 278, 301, 311, 334, 380, 389, 399, 411, 445, 450, 467, 520, 548, 558, 576, 591, all of the denomination of $100.00 each.

You are further notified that payment of said bonds at 110% of the principal amount thereof, together with accrued interest to January 1, 1926, will be made in accordance with the provisions of said Mortgage or Deed of Trust to the holders of said bonds upon presentation and surrender of said bonds and the appropriate coupons appertaining thereto for cancellation, at the office of the undersigned, 125 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, on or after January 1, 1926.

Interest on said bonds will cease on or after January 1, 1926.

DATED, Chicago, Illinois, November 27, 1925.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF ILLINOIS, Trustee.
By Aksel K. Bodholdt, Vice President

TO THE HOLDERS OF THE WELCH GRAPE JUICE COMPANY CLOSED FIRST MORTGAGE 10-YEAR 8% CONVERTIBLE GOLD BONDS DUE AUGUST 1ST, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that as provided in Articles IV and V of the Trust Indenture dated August 1, 1921, between The Welch Grape Juice Company and The Fidelity Trust Company of Buffalo, N. Y., as Trustee ($56,000) Fifty-six thousand, aggregate principal amount of The Welch Grape Juice Company Closed First Mortgage 10-Year 8% Convertible Gold Bonds due August 1st, 1931, issued thereunder and bearing the following numbers have been drawn for redemption and will be redeemed on February 1st, 1926, at 105 per cent. of their principal amounts, with accrued interest thereon as provided in Article IV of the Indenture.

Bonds of the denomination of $1,000 each—M-10; 13; 23; 35; 106; 109; 110; 111; 197; 200; 213; 231; 271; 295; 300; 305; 318; 321; 324; 352; 360; 401; 433; 454; 459; 483; 486; 505; 520; 521; 523; 543; 603; 616; 633; 665; 666; 701; 702; 703; 705.

Bonds of the denomination of $500 each—D-4; 6; 111; 115; 120; 121; 132; 141; 145; 197; 222; 225; 279; 303; 307; 313; 323; 333; 377; 399; 402; 471; 486; 491; 500; 501; 604; 610; 617; 618.

Holders of the above bonds should present them for payment on or after February 1st, 1926, at the Trust Department of The Fidelity Trust Company of Buffalo, 284 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

After February 1st, 1926, all interest on said bonds will cease.

THE FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY OF BUFFALO, Trustee.
By THOMAS CANTWELL, Trust Officer.

TO THE HOLDERS OF
ORIENTAL REPUBLIC OF URUGUAY
External Debt 5% Gold Bonds, 1915

The Equitable Trust Company of New York, as Fiscal Agent of Oriental Republic of Uruguay External Debt 5% Gold Bonds of 1915, has received $9,175. as an amortization fund, which, together with an unexpended balance remaining in its hands of $186.90, is available for the purchase of the above bonds and hereby invites tenders of the above bonds for sale to the amortization fund at a price below par and accrued interest to exhaust $9,361.90. Sealed tenders addressed to the "Trust Department" will be opened at the office of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, 37 Wall Street, at 12 o'clock noon, January 2, 1926, and should be endorsed "Tenders for the amortization fund of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay." The right is reserved to reject any and all tenders.

New York, N. Y., December 24, 1925.

THE EQUITABLE TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK
Fiscal Agent, Oriental Republic of Uruguay.
By LYMAN RHOADES, Vice President.

GULF AND SHIP ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY FIRST MORTGAGE REFUNDING AND TERMINAL FIVE PER CENT. GOLD BONDS DUE FEBRUARY 1, 1952.

As provided under Section Seven of Article Two of the Mortgage securing the issue of bonds above described, the undersigned, as Trustee, will receive sealed proposals up to 2 P. M. on January 5, 1926, for the sale to it of such bonds for account of the Sinking Fund sufficient to exhaust the sum of $106,417.90 conditional upon the payment to the undersigned of that amount on or before January 2, 1926, as provided in said Mortgage.

The Trustee reserves the right to reject any or all tenders in whole or in part.

Bonds accepted in pursuance of the foregoing must be surrendered to the undersigned at its principal office, No. 100 Broadway, New York City, New York, on or before January 8, 1926, on which date interest thereon will cease.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY,
Formerly New York Security and Trust Company, Trustee.
By A. C. DOWNING Jr.,
Assistant Secretary.

Dated, December 7, 1925.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the home of Harry G. Silleck, R. F. D., No. 2, Peekskill, New York, as Supervisor of the Town Board of the Town of Putnam Valley, Putnam County, New York, until 12:00 o'clock noon on the 16th day of January, 1926, for the purchase of not less than $47,800.00 in bonds of said town to be issued pursuant to a vote of the electors of said town for the purpose of being expended as follows:

"$37,800.00 to be expended in the improvement of the continuation and extension of the Oscawana Lake Road in the Town of Putnam Valley, Putnam County, New York, from the point where now permanently improved toward Oscawana Lake; and the sum of $10,000.00 to be expended in the permanent improvement of the road locally known as 'Wood Street' running from the Westchester County Line near Jefferson Valley northerly through Putnam Valley, Putnam County, New York, being numbered from one to ninety-six, inclusive, each of which shall be in the sum of $500.00, except the last of said bonds which shall be in the sum of $300.00 and payable in the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars ($2500.00) each year, and to be dated February 1st, 1926, and payable in order as numbered on the first day of July in each of the years from 1926 to 1944, inclusive, except that the sum of Twenty-eight hundred dollars ($2800.00) shall be due and payable in the year 1944. Said bonds to be registered bonds bearing interest not exceeding five per cent. per annum payable annually and will be awarded to the person or persons offering to take them at the lowest rate of interest and highest premiums. Bids to be addressed to Mr. Harry G. Silleck, R. F. D., No. 2, Peekskill, New York, and endorsed 'Sealed proposals for Putnam Valley Bonds'."

The Town Board of said town reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Town Board of Putnam Valley, New York.

Dated, December 23rd, 1925.

HARRY G. SILLECK,
Supervisor.
GEORGE REICHERT,
Town Clerk.

☞ OLD BEN COAL CORPORATION TEN-YEAR 7½ PER CENT DEBENTURES.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the sinking fund provision of the Trust Agreement dated August 1, 1924, $125,000 principal amount of above, have been drawn for redemption on February 1, 1926, at 110 per cent. and accrued interest to that date.

The bonds drawn and numbered as below, with all unmatured coupons attached, should be presented for payment to the undersigned Trustee in the City of Philadelphia or the head office of the National City Bank, New York City, on or after February 1, 1926, when all interest thereon will cease.

$1000 denominations:

7	1108	2156	3326	4129
60	1224	2168	3335	4134
84	1313	2188	3339	4209
160	1390	2494	3357	4227
254	1394	2502	3372	4233
276	1397	2510	3382	4261
277	1402	2706	3395	4284
298	1424	2707	3440	4328
378	1434	2731	3475	4363
389	1487	2738	3513	4395
393	1488	2767	3531	4397
432	1631	2788	3717	4449
475	1633	2807	3723	4468
493	1703	2851	3729	4486
500	1708	2965	3739	4488
523	1740	2988	3794	4543
529	1861	3037	3804	4626
650	1954	3038	3840	4627
801	1990	3042	3885	4665
915	1991	3112	3886	4681
916	1996	3188	3913	4700
945	2086	3241	4035	4702
980	2117	3251	4119	4722
1065	2127	3276		

$500 denomination:

33	106	162	354	534
44	110	240	427	584
72	140	296	476	

BANK OF NORTH AMERICA AND TRUST COMPANY, Trustee.
City Hall Square, Philadelphia.
JOHN H. MASON, Chairman.

Notice of Bonds Called of Miller Levee District No. 2 of Miller County, Arkansas.

The 10-20 bonds of Miller Levee District No. 2, dated June 1, 1911, numbered 51 to 300 inclusive, aggregating $250,000, are called for payment June 1, 1926.

Signed this 23d day of November, 1925. Board of Directors of Miller Levee District No. 2.

C. S. CHRISTIAN, Secretary.
Texarkana, Ark.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF TAYLOR, located at Taylor, in the State of North Dakota, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

Dated December 18, 1925.

SAMUEL LEWISON,
Liquidating Agent, Canby, Minn.
CRAWFORD, CAIN & BURNETT, Attorneys for Liquidating Agent, Dickinson, North Dakota.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this Company for the election of Directors, election of Inspectors of Election, and for the transaction of such other business as shall come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 92 Liberty Street, in the City of New York, the 5th day of January, 1926, at 11 o'clock A. M. The polls will remain open until 11:30 o'clock A. M.

THE FIDELITY AND CASUALTY COMPANY OF NEW YORK,
CHARLES L. NEWMILLER,
Secretary.

THE FIFTH AVENUE BANK OF NEW YORK

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the stockholders of this Bank for the election of directors and inspectors of election will be held at the banking rooms of this Bank, 530 Fifth Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, January 12, 1926, at twelve o'clock noon. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon one hour.

ERNEST FOLEY, Cashier.

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RECEIVER'S SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York—ROBERT K. RICHARDSON, Complainant, against THE MENTER COMPANY, INC., Defendant.

The sale of the business of The Menter Company, Inc., by Charles L. Livingston and Jacob Mayer, Receivers, heretofore set for December 22nd, 1925, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon has been adjourned to December 28th, at 4 P. M., at Court Room No. 3, in the Woolworth Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, before Hon. William Bondy, United States District Judge.

The Menter Company operates a chain of forty-two stores all over the United States for the sale of women's and men's wearing apparel on the instalment plan. Bids will be received for the purchase of the Receivers' right, title and interest in the entire chain of forty-two stores, which will include the merchandise, furniture and fixtures, merchandise accounts receivable, leases and good-will. Bids will also be received for the purchase of any of the separate stores, which will include merchandise, furniture and fixtures, merchandise accounts receivable and lease.

The sale will be made under the following conditions:

1. The successful purchaser shall take title as of midnight of December 22nd, 1925, and all adjustments shall be made as of that date.
2. The sale shall not include cash of the Receivers nor any choses in action nor claims for refunds of taxes.
3. The sale of the stores operated by subsidiary corporations shall be subject to all agreements in existence affecting said subsidiaries.
4. The Receivers reserve the right with the approval of the Court to fix an up-set price below which no bids will be entertained.
5. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 10% of the amount of the bid.
6. All bids shall be subject to the approval of the Court.

Further information in regard to any of the stores or the terms of sale or in relation to the subsidiary companies can be obtained upon application at the office of the Receivers of The Menter Company at 469 Seventh Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, or at the office of their attorney, David W. Kahn, 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES L. LIVINGSTON,
JACOB MAYER,
Receivers.
DAVID W. KAHN, Attorney for Receivers, 120 Broadway, New York City.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

COUNTY OF NEW YORK, STATE OF New York, ss.:

The undersigned do hereby certify that they conduct or transact business in the said county under the name and style of H. V. MEAD & CO., and further certify that the true and real names of the persons conducting or transacting the said business, together with their post office addresses are as follows:

LOUIS P. VAN RIPER, 397 8th Av., New York City; WILLIAM P. MORRIS, 397 8th Av., New York City; LOUIS P. VAN RIPER, W. R. MORRIS. Louis P. Van Riper was a partner of H. V. Mead (deceased), trading under the name of H. V. Mead & Co. for about thirty years prior to 1912. In 1912 Louis P. Van Riper succeeded to said business and continued under the name of H. V. Mead & Co. to date. The present partnership is a continuation or succession to the business formerly conducted by Louis P. Van Riper, trading under the name of H. V. Mead & Co. since 1912.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: On this 8th day of January, 1925, before me personally appeared Louis P. Van Riper and William P. Morris, to me known and known to me to be the individuals described and who executed the foregoing certificate, and they thereupon duly acknowledged to me that they severally duly executed the same.

HENRY J. JANSSEN, Notary Public, N. Y. Co. Clerk No. 20; N. Y. Co. Reg. No. 6012. Commission expires March 30, 1926.

SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY—WILLIAM B. WESSLER, Plaintiff, against DUNCAN F. MacDONALD, Defendant—Summons.

TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANT:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED TO answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or if the complaint is not served with this Summons to serve a Notice of Appearance on the Plaintiff's Attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated December 4th, 1925.

DOYLE & SMITH, Plaintiff's Attorneys, Office and Post Office Address, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Duncan F. MacDonald:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of Hon. Thomas C. T. Crain, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 15th day of December, 1925, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County and State of New York.

Dated New York, December 17th, 1925.

DOYLE & SMITH, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Office and P. O. Address, 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of LOUIS HAMMER, Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in Bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, Jan. 5th, 1926, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 67 Canal St., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of boys' clothing, furniture, fixtures, etc.

JOSEPH T. STEARNS, Receiver.
HOROWITZ, SANDER & FALB, Attorneys for Receiver, 505 Tribune Bldg., New York.
Inspection on Jan. 2nd and 4th.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy. In the matter of SMITH & HILL CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York, in bankruptcy, sells Friday, Jan. 8th, 1926, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 552 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of toys, etc.

JOHN J. CUNNEEN, Trustee.
PETER B. OLNEY, JR., Referee in Bankruptcy, 2 Rector St.
DAVID HAAR, Attorney for Trustee, 299 Broadway, New York.

TO STUDY PROBLEM OF TAX ON FORESTS

Prof. Fred R. Fairchild of Yale to Conduct Nation-Wide Investigation.

TO GO INTO LAND POLICY

Aim Is to Readjust Laws So as to Be Fair to Land Owner and County.

A nation-wide study of the forest tax problem in relation to reforestation is being launched by the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture, which has just announced the appointment of Professor Fred R. Fairchild of Yale University as director of the investigation. A detailed study of forest tax problems will be made in principal forest regions of the United States to determine the effect of present tax laws on reforestation and timber holding, and the conditions that must be met in any effort to readjust present tax laws so as to be fair both to the land owner and the county.

The study is the outgrowth of a country-wide investigation of reforestation conducted by a special committee of the United States Senate in 1923-24. This committee came to the conclusion that timber-growing would be greatly stimulated by giving land owners security against unjust and burdensome taxation. Provision for the study is embodied in the Clarke-McNary Forestry act, passed by the last Congress. Professor Fairchild, who will take active charge of the work, is an authority on general tax problems and on forest taxation in particular. He has written much on general taxation problems and has frequently acted in the capacity of consulting tax expert to municipalities and States.

Investigation's Importance.

Commenting on the appointment of Professor Fairchild, Chief Forester William B. Greeley stressed the importance to the country of the proposed investigation.

"Timber growing as a private business is of the utmost importance to the welfare of this country," said Colonel Greeley. "This activity will be hampered by the uncertainties of forest taxation, and it is necessary to devise systems of forest taxation that will not tax growing forests over and over again before they reach merchantable size.

"The tax investigation provisions of the Clarke-McNary law are aimed directly at getting the facts on which to base forest tax reform so that State tax legislation will encourage rather than hinder the cause of reforestation. As the result of this investigation it is expected that the Federal Government will be able to help the States in a national reform of forest taxation.

"I regard this tax study as one of the most important steps of recent years in forest conservation, and the Forest Service is fortunate in securing Professor Fairchild to conduct the work."

The purpose of the section of the Clarke-McNary law providing for forest tax investigations is clearly interpreted by Secretary of Agriculture Jardine as aiming for practical results rather than merely theoretical study of the taxation of forest land. Professor Fairchild's staff will study actual conditions both of present-day forest taxation and its effects, and the effects of proposed changes in the tax systems on State and county revenues.

Field Is Extensive.

The field of information which the Department of Agriculture wishes to cover in this investigation is extensive, ranging from the constitutional, legislative and traditional basis for taxation in different States to the practical matters of levying assessments and collecting taxes. Intensive studies will be made in typical counties of the character and age of timber lands and what taxes they have paid over a series of years, how these taxes compare with those paid on other kinds of property, and just how important forest lands are now and will be in future years in the general scheme of local revenue.

The effect of the existing tax situation of timber growing and reforestation is little known at present, save in a few specified instances. The study will go into the land policy of timberland owners, the purchase and blocking up of forest land units, the relinquishment of forest land for delinquent taxes, the policy of owners with regard to maintaining continuous productions of timber on their lands, and the efforts at reforestation on the part of owners of cut-over land.

A third group of facts, at present lacking, will tend to show how modified systems of taxation may be worked out which would cause the minimum disturbance to local finances and at the same time bring relief to owners of growing timber from the danger of excessive taxation. It is probable that at the same time information will be collected regarding systems of forest taxation in foreign countries.

The investigative work on forest taxes as planned tentatively will be concentrated at first in a single State or region until methods of study are worked out, whereupon the study will probably be carried on simultaneously in three forest regions, such as the Northeast, the South and the West.

The technical personnel that will assist Professor Fairchild will consist of a carefully selected group of foresters and economists. This staff of experts will cooperate in every possible manner with local agencies, such as State Tax Commissioners, State forestry organizations, local county and township officials, and private interests, as well as with the several Federal bureaus interested.

It is expected that this exhaustive investigation will result in practical suggestions for State legislation that will take into consideration local financial needs and administrative limitations quite as concretely as the interests of forest-land owners.

NEW FORESTS FOR ITHACA.

City Planning Commission to Begin Planting Next Spring.

The City of Ithaca is going to turn 600 acres of unused land on the city watershed into a municipal forest. The planting of trees will begin next Spring.

Chairman William M. Driscoll of the City Planning Commission has placed an order for 10,000 white pine seedlings, 10,000 Scotch pine transplants and 1,000 black locust seedlings with the Conservation Commission for Spring delivery as the first step in the planting of the forest.

In a letter accompanying the order Chairman Driscoll outlines the city's plan of operations as follows:

"This is the first step in what we hope will be the turning of the city's 600-acre watershed property into a scientifically treated forest. This area includes 100 acres or more of open pasture land which we want to plant through a series of years, toward which the trees requested herewith are the first instalment."

A number of other cities, towns and villages have plans under way for reforesting land that is now non-productive and for laying the foundations of municipal forests that will at maturity yield a supply of lumber and wood, and in the meantime protect their watersheds and furnish a refuge for birds and animals.

Forty cities in the State already have planted more than 10,000 acres.

EXPECTS KEEN RIVALRY IN FOREIGN TRADE

F. Edison White Predicts Much Competition at Home and Abroad in Next Few Years.

Although world commerce is at this time repressed and staggering under the shadow of war and post-war debts, there is a leashed power which will break loose sooner or later in the next two decades and give American industry the most severe competition which its has ever experienced, in the opinion of F. Edson White, President of Armour & Co., who spoke recently before the twelfth annual convention of the Institute of American Meat Packers at Chicago.

"This competition will not only meet us in our markets abroad but will also reach us at home," said Mr. White. "On a gradually increasing basis we will be offered great quantities of everything that is manufactured everywhere and shall have to compete with the same sort of offers to our foreign customers. Only maintenance on the part of American business of a most receptive attitude toward new ideas and efficiency of operation and distribution will aid us.

"Every nation is feeling the pressure which is evident in the world market today, whether it was involved in the World War or not; and every nation is restlessly biding the time when international settlement of war obligations, tariffs and agreements will permit it to produce in volumes large enough to apply effectively to debt liquidation or to increase in current wealth and consequent international exchange of goods.

"If we are to preserve these standards, we must not only increase the productivity of our workers, but we must also increase the efficiency with which our businesses are run. When a competitor discovers some new process of manufacture, preservation or distribution which will permit it to flood the world with its product, we can maintain our position only by developing processes to parallel them. Additional tariffs cannot help us. We may coax along our domestic market for a time, but our salvation will come through research and study of our own, so as to meet the economies permitted by research and study on the part of our competitors."

Speaking then directly of the packers' problems, Mr. White continued:

"The packing industry is a national industry. To a large extent the American packers are predominant in the international situation. Nevertheless, any country with a special product, like Denmark, for example, with its highly specialized bacon-type hog, or any country with a special advantage in the cost of production, like Argentina or Brazil, can readily find any position it may desire in the international trade, regardless of our efforts.

"Our permanent status in world commerce is going to depend on research into the engineering problems of the industry, in the further substitution of machine power for human labor and in the cutting of cost at points along the line which our traditional methods of operation do not at present suspect."

SCHOOL FOR PLUMBERS.

Carnegie Institute to Hold Its Second Annual Three-Day Session.

Plumbers of Pennsylvania have been invited to "knock off" and go to school again for three days the last of this month, when the Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa., holds its second annual Three Days' Institute for the members of the plumbing, heating and ventilating industries. The program will include several sessions of lectures, discussion and demonstrations. All of the lectures and demonstrations, it is added, will be given by members of the faculty representing the Departments of Plumbing, Heating and Ventilating, Mechanical, Machinery Production, Civil Engineering and Biology and Public Health.

The institute will be conducted under the auspices of the Department of Industrials Relations with Dr. C. B. Connelley, director in charge. Members of the Pittsburgh Master Plumbers' Association are cooperating with the Carnegie officials in planning evening entertainment for the out-of-town "students" after classes.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Lackawanna 1000.

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF PROPERTY FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY THE LATE EMERSON McMILLIN AT MAHWAH, NEW JERSEY.

Magnificent estate comprising about 1,100 acres of lawns, pasture, woodlands and reservoirs, located at Mahwah, Bergen County, New Jersey, and formerly the residence of the late Emerson McMillin. Adjacent to the mansion, which is built of Harvard brick and contains about eighty rooms, there has been laid out a golf course, fifteen holes of which have been completed.

The improvements also include nine single and four double houses for employees, cow barns, dairy, carpenter shop, stables, etc. Water supply from reservoir on said premises.

The property is attractively landscaped with valuable shrubbery. It is located about thirty miles from New York and can be reached by the main line of the Erie Railroad.

Auction sale will take place on Wednesday, December 30, 1925, at two o'clock P. M., at the Sheriff's Office, Village of Hackensack, New Jersey.

JOHN L. GRIGGS, 152 Market Street, Paterson, New Jersey, Counsel for BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, New York; PAUL BUTTERWORTH and UVALDO TRAVERSO, Trustees of the Estate of Emerson McMillin.

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19TH ST. (NEAR 7TH AV.).
3-5 story cold water tenements.
Price and terms very reasonable.
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HOUSES AND ESTATES.

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Long Island.

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5 business lots (100x95), on 164th St.; trolley passes property; near Nassau Boulevard.
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On New Hyde Park Road; 40x100; 2 blocks from Stewart Av. station; for business.
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On Nassau Blvd.; 40x117; 4 blocks from Nassau Blvd. station; for business.
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HEMPSTEAD—31 acres, Fulton Av., near railroad station corner; $2,850 per acre.
Hempstead, 19 acres, front street, opposite public school and development; $2,500 acre.
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53D ST., WEST—75x100.
Three 20-family tenements; rent $14,000; price $88,000; cash $10,000.
Niederhoffer & Soman, 152 West 42d.

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West Bronx, block front, 3 five-stories, 15 stores, 200 rooms; small layout; houses about 9 years old; all improvements; rent of stores over $18,000; gross rent $48,000; price $315,000; no brokers.
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24TH, 121-123 EAST—3,000-5,000 square feet light lofts; 12-story fireproof building; sprinkler system; minimum insurance rate. Apply Superintendent, 118 East 28th St.

27TH, 119 EAST—400 square feet loft. Apply Superintendent, 121 East 27th St.

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LOFTS AND FLOORS.

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FLOOR, good light, 39x95. Maurice Av., Ryerson St., Winfield, L. I.

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Manhattan-Bronx For Rent.

50TH ST., 8 WEST (few doors from 5th Av.)—Store, suitable for shoe, hairdressing parlor, restaurant or any other business. Apply Wolins & Bull, 599 Washington St. Telephone Walker 4965.

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44TH, 19 WEST—Attractive private office, accountant's suite; service optional. Room 317.

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BROADWAY, 1,472 (corner 42d), Room 1001—Use of quiet private office; reasonable.

BROADWAY, 1,457—Desk space; service optional. Room 813.

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MAIL, telephone privileges; private, individual box; $5 monthly. Franklin, 246 5th Av.

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Furnished—East Side.

32D, 11 EAST (HOTEL STRATFORD, JUST EAST OF 5TH AV.)—NEWLY DECORATED, FURNISHED; OUTSIDE ROOMS AND SUITES, PRIVATE BATHS; SINGLE ROOMS $15 UP WEEKLY; DOUBLE ROOMS $20 UP WEEKLY; 2-ROOM SUITES $30 UP WEEKLY; COMPLETE HOTEL SERVICE, RESTAURANT. CALEDONIA 4700.

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72D, 157 EAST (The Lexington)—One, two, three rooms, furnished or unfurnished; maid service available; restaurant on premises. Apply to Mr. Merritt, on premises.

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Sublet to Oct. 1, attractive, well-furnished suite of living room, bedroom and bath; can be had unfurnished.

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23D, 333 WEST—Desirable furnished apartments, bath adjoining; reasonable.

31ST, 4 WEST (HOTEL WOLCOTT)—ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED PARLOR, BEDROOM AND BATH, $40 WEEK.

44TH, 152 WEST—Now ready, new, beautifully furnished, 2-3 rooms, showers, tiled baths, kitchenette, parquet; maid service.

44TH, 123 WEST (Hotel Langwell)—Three room suites; southern exposure; 2-3-4 persons; $40-$45 weekly.

APARTMENTS TO LET.

Furnished—West Side.

45TH, 341 WEST (HILDONA COURT)—Elevator apartments, one, two and three rooms and bath, showers, kitchen, kitchenette; all newly furnished and decorated; $75 to $125 monthly and up. Longacre 2260.

52D ST., 223 WEST (CORNER BROADWAY)—MODERN ELEVATOR APARTMENT HOUSE, NEWLY FURNISHED; HOTEL SERVICE; ONE ROOM, BATH, $75 UP; 2 ROOMS, BATH, $100 UP; REFERENCES REQUIRED.

54TH ST.-BROADWAY (HOTEL CUMBERLAND)—PARLOR, BEDROOM, BATH; ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED, NEWLY RENOVATED; $35, $40, $45, $50 PER WEEK.

54TH, 41 WEST—Very desirable, beautifully furnished 2-room apartment and kitchen. Phone Circle 8760 until 10 A. M., or after 6 P. M. Can see Supt. any time.

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55TH ST., 345 WEST (near Columbus Circle)—2-3-4 rooms; beautifully furnished; new fireproof; nine-story, high-class elevator apartment; now renting. Agent on premises.

56TH, 208 WEST (HOTEL THORNDYKE)—Desirable two-room suites; reasonable rentals; full hotel service.

57TH ST., 340 WEST (just off Broadway)—MODERN ELEVATOR APARTMENT HOUSE; NEWLY FURNISHED; MAID, VALET SERVICE; 2 AND 3 ROOMS, BATH, KITCHENETTE; RENT REASONABLE.

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Two rooms and bath, elegantly furnished; convenient location; $100 month. Apply on premises, or phone Academy 1647.

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108, 318 WEST—Large rooms, kitchenette, private bath, piano; references.

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2, 3, 4, 5, 6 rooms, $60 month up.
Also weekly rates; elevator and non-elevator.
REFERENCES ESSENTIAL.
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Open evenings and Sunday.

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High-class elevator apartments; 1, 2 and 3 rooms, $50 monthly and up; also weekly rates; references essential.
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113TH, 546 WEST (Broadway)—2 rooms, bath, improvements; private house; maid service.

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54TH, 161 WEST (cor. 7th Av.)—High-class 5-room elevator apartment.
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56TH ST., 345 WEST (near Columbus Circle) —2-3-4 rooms; new fireproof, 9-story high-class elevator apartment; now renting. Agent on premises.

57TH, 152 WEST (near 7th Av., next to Carnegie Hall)—Studio apartment, 3 and 8 rooms, open fireplaces, exceptionally large, cheerful, airy rooms; modern electric elevator; attractive entrance; rent $2,000 to $3,600. Apply on premises or telephone Carnegie Hall, Circle 1350.

66TH, 155 WEST (Broadway)—5 light rooms, bath, modern improvements, $65. Janitor.

68TH ST., 25 WEST (adjoining Central Park)—Just completed, nine-story fireproof elevator building, 3, 4, 5 rooms; renting on premises; open evenings. Trafalgar 9161.

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76TH ST., 15 WEST—Newly renovated, attractive apartments, $80 to $100.

83D ST., 323 WEST—MODERN 8-ROOM ELEVATOR APARTMENT.

86TH, 250 WEST—14-story, two-three rooms, tile kitchens, kitchenettes, $1,300-$1,560; room, bath, fifteenth floor, $80.

86TH ST., 332 WEST (near Riverside Drive) —One five-room apartment, $1,500; high-grade; references required.

88TH, 353 WEST—8-room elevator apartment; reasonable rent.

88TH, 320 WEST—Sublet ground floor apartment, 6 unusually large rooms, 2 baths, $2,750; 2 years to run; suitable for physician; concession. Wisconsin 0215.

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90TH ST., 200 WEST—4-5-6 room apartments in high-class house; greatly reduced rentals, $125-$200.

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Unfurnished—West Side.

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NEW BUILDING.
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
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Renting Agents on Premises.
Building telephone: Clarkson 0946.

105TH, 4 WEST—8 rooms, modern elevator apartment. Superintendent.

108TH, 64 WEST (new house)—3, 4 rooms, very reasonable rent. Apply on premises.

110TH ST., 610 WEST.

HIGH-CLASS 14-STORY FIREPROOF APARTMENT BUILDING, 5 ROOMS, BATH AND MAID'S TOILET; ALL OUTSIDE ROOMS; MODERATE RENTALS. APPLY MR. McGIVNEY, ON PREMISES. CLARKSON 0071.

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111TH, 501 WEST—Elevator apartments, 4, 5 rooms, facing Cathedral; inspection invited.

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115TH ST., 617 WEST—6 medium-sized front rooms, high-class walk-up apartment; near Drive; every improvement; $85.

115TH, 352 WEST—Desirable 6-room apartment, facing park. See Superintendent, Apt. 1, or phone Pennsylvania 6737.

115TH, 350 WEST (corner Manhattan Av.)—6 rooms, ground floor, suitable doctor; modern decoration; reasonable.

116TH, 373 WEST—Eight rooms; just decorated French gray, paneled walls; all improvements; elevator service; near Columbia, park; St. Nicholas buses pass by; rent $110.

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Large outside rooms, steam heat guaranteed.

119TH, 58 WEST—6 rooms, all improvements; reasonable; ground floor.

122D, 515 WEST (near Broadway)—Elevator apartments, 4, 5 rooms; inspection invited.

124TH, 505 WEST—Elevator; 5 large rooms, $75; 6 large rooms, $85; front apartment, white enameled woodwork, painted and stippled walls. Supt or Nehring Brothers, St. Nicholas Av. and 182d St.

135TH, 629 WEST—5, 7 rooms, elevator; near Drive; reasonable. Superintendent.

143D, 561 WEST (Broadway)—6 sunny rooms, 6th floor; elevator; $125; 7 outside rooms, 2d floor, $155; 8 rooms street floor; business; doctors, $175.

143D, 519 WEST—6 large, light rooms, elevator, ground floor, reasonable.

144TH (63 Hamilton Terrace)—2 blocks east of Broadway; finest neighborhood; elevator. One room, kitchen, bath, shower, $50.
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144TH, 510 WEST (Broadway)—Elevator apartments, five and six rooms, reasonable; inspection

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150TH, 470 and 510 WEST—3, 4 rooms, elegant apartments, ready for occupancy, very reasonable rent. Apply on premises.

152D (48 St. Nicholas Place)—3, 4, 5 rooms, high-class elevator apartments, very reasonable rent. Apply on premises.

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Five large rooms, newly decorated, white woodwork, stippled walls; exceptional elevator apartments.

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160TH, 520 WEST—Four and five large rooms; $60 up; all improvements. Harris, Wadsworth 3033.

162D, 505 WEST—Three front rooms, foyer; new house; southern exposure; $65.

163D, 520 WEST—Modern 3 rooms, second floor, $57; 4 rooms, $62.

163D ST., 600 WEST (corner Broadway)—High-class elevator apartment, choice corner, seven light rooms, with two baths, extra washroom, overlooking Broadway and street; $150.

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172D ST., 755 WEST; 173D ST., 736 WEST (corner Haven Av., 2 blocks west of Broadway)—3-4-5 rooms; rents reasonable. Apply on premises or office, 135 Haven Av.

178TH (9 Northern Av.)—4 rooms, $80; 6-room corner apartment, $90; large rooms, stippled walls, white woodwork, parquet floor, &c. Superintendent or Nehring Brothers, St. Nicholas Av. and 182d.

178TH, 610 WEST—Reduced rental; five rooms, $65-$70. Supt. or Nehring Brothers, St. Nicholas Av. and 182d St.

179TH (45 Pinehurst Av.)—Elevator, five, six and seven rooms, $85-$90-$125; front apartments. Supt. or Nehring Brothers, St. Nicholas Av. and 182d St.

179TH (42 and 50 Northern Av.)—3 blocks west of Broadway; 3, 4, 5 rooms, very reasonable.

180TH, 875 WEST—New high-class elevator apartments, four large rooms, large foyer; every improvement, paneled walls; reasonable.

181ST ST. (21 Bennett Av.), 1 block west Broadway—High-class elevator, 4, 5 rooms, all light rooms, newly decorated; conveniences modern; wonderful view; all night service; very reasonable. Superintendent.

191ST ST., 661 WEST—THREE TO SEVEN ROOMS, $55 UP; CORNER; ELEVATOR.

197TH, 129 WEST—Seven rooms and sun parlor; new two-family house; with or without garage. Kingsbridge 2654.

AMSTERDAM AV., 1,050 (facing Cathedral)—Elevator apartments, 5, 6 rooms, inspection invited.

BANK ST., 46 (Greenwich Village)—4-room apartments, all improvements; moderate rent.

BROADWAY, 3,089 (122d)—Four rooms; elevator; parquet flooring; $70. Sachs, Academy 1152.

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BROADWAY, 3,604 (148th)—Greatly reduced rent, six rooms, beautiful, newly decorated, $80.

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1, 2 AND 3 ROOMS,
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RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 430 (119th St.)—Beautiful apartment, 5 rooms and bath, $1,200. Superintendent or WM. A. WHITE & SONS, 46 Cedar St. Tel. John 5700.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 362 (109th St.)—High-class elevator apartments, 5, 7, 9, 10 rooms, baths; moderate rents; inspection invited.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 230 (95th)—5-6 rooms, overlooking river, southern exposure; newly decorated; high class elevator; $1,800 up.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 920 (cor. 162d)—4, 5 and 6 rooms; high-class new building; 2 elevators. Apply premises.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 838 (158th St.)—5 and 6 room apartments, $110, $135; elevator. Superintendent.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 468 (119th St.)—Five rooms and bath, $125; fireproof building; river view.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 72 (79th)—2 large front rooms and bath; reasonable. Superintendent.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 660 (corner 143d St.)—5 rooms, $90 month.

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10 AND 12 ROOMS.
Largest rooms of any apartment on the west side. Four bathrooms and one washroom with each apartment.
Inquire agent on premises daily or Sunday or
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WEST END AV., 930 (near 106th)—Six rooms, bath, sublet, immediate possession; elevator building, front apartment; rent $1,500. Apply on premises or Mark Rafalsky, 21 East 40th St. Vanderbilt 2027.

WEST END AV., 650—High-class elevator apartments, 6 rooms, baths; inspection.

WEST END AV., 740 (cor. 96th)—5 rooms; also apartment suitable doctor.

BEAUTIFUL Plaza Bonear, 7-8, facing Park; elevator, modern; reduced $95-$115; southwest corner 150th-St. Nicholas. Edgecombe 4537.

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New two-family houses.
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Five unusually large rooms and bath, with steam-heated garage; $110; bedrooms 13.6x16; built to hold complete modern set of bedroom furniture; also extra large room and bath, $40; concession. Agent on premises.

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FOREST HILLS—4 rooms, tile bath, shower, breakfast nook; dumbwaiter; whole floor; two flights up; heat and hot water supplied; $65-$80.
5 rooms, 2 floors with double bedrooms, tile bath, shower, breakfast alcove; garage; heat and hot water; $100-$130.
These are in new 2-family houses on Ascan Av., principal street running through Forest Hills Gardens.
8 rooms, 2 tile baths, showers; garage; $160.
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231 ASCAN AV.

Unfurnished—Westchester County.

YONKERS (316 Woodworth Av., near Glenwood Station)—5 rooms, bath, porch; overlooks park and Hudson; best neighborhood; $840-$936. Telephone 10146 or Van Suetendael.

YONKERS—998 McLean Av., 5-room steam-heated apartment; most desirable location for dental office. Inquire above address.

COOPERATIVE APARTMENTS.

Washington Heights, 183d St & Pinehurst Av
HUDSON VIEW GARDENS.
Delightful housekeeping apartments of 3, 4 and 5 rooms, in a seven-acre restricted garden community; an electric dishwashing machine, automatic refrigeration and incinerator chute in every kitchen; parquet floors, 4 radios, post-office, restaurant, commissary, steam laundry; over 250 of these remarkable homes have already been sold on the 100 per cent. cooperative plan, which saves half rent; moderate payment down and the balance monthly like rent.
Wood, Dolson Company, Inc., Agents.
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FURNISHED ROOMS.

East Side.

27TH ST.-MADISON AV. (Hotel Madison)—Outside rooms, double rooms, bath, $15; without bath, $10.50-$12, one or two people; hotel service; restaurant, block to subways; daily, $1.50 up. Madison Square 1784.

29TH, 29 EAST (MARTHA WASHINGTON)—500 ROOMS, FIREPROOF; A WOMAN'S HOTEL; ROOMS WITH RUNNING WATER, $14 WEEKLY FOR ONE, $17.50 FOR TWO; WITH BATH, $21 WEEKLY FOR ONE, $24.50 FOR TWO.

30TH (146 Lexington)—Single rooms; refined business people; running water; $8.50; references.

32D, 11 EAST (HOTEL STRATFORD, JUST EAST OF 5TH AV.)—NEWLY DECORATED, FURNISHED; OUTSIDE ROOMS AND SUITES; COMPLETE HOTEL SERVICE; RESTAURANT; WEEKLY RATES, SINGLE ROOMS, $15 UP; DOUBLE ROOMS, $20 UP; 2-ROOM SUITES, $30 UP; ALL WITH PRIVATE BATH. CALEDONIA 4700.

35TH, 204 EAST—Parlor, connecting bedroom, suitable business girls; $8; twin beds; steam. Phone Schans, Caledonia 4585.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

East Side.

36TH (36 Park Av.)—Attractive, large, single front room, very reasonable.

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WORLD'S IDEALS FOR 1926—Professor Charles Hodges, Washington Square College, New York University, discusses the many points of potential disturbance which the new year finds, but states leading nations are making unprecedented efforts to remove the dangerous sore spots.

MUSSOLINI'S "SPIRITUAL EMPIRE"—Italy's dictator, once a blacksmith and now likened to Napoleon, visions new flights in autocracy.

BUILDING TRADE'S RECORD YEAR—Review of the year's activities during which six billions have been spent on construction. Signs of greater activity in 1926.

* * It strikes me that a good slogan for your Sunday edition might well be "buy The New York Times and you will not need magazines or books."—E. F. Dahm, Associate Educational Director, LaSalle Extension University, Chicago.

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MRS. SEGGERMAN REPLIES TO BUTLER

Says 'Notorious Violations' of Dry Law Is No Reason to Repeal It.

COMPARES SLAVE TRADE

Declares It Took 40 Years to Ban Importation — Points Out Drug Law as Good, Though Broken.

ATLANTIC HIGHLANDS, N. J., Dec. 25 (AP).—Replying to a letter of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, in which he charged that prohibition was a "colossal failure" and "the most immoral undertaking on which any Government ever embarked," Mrs. Victor A. Seggerman asserted today that the "notorious violation" of a law was no reason for its repeal.

"As I read history," she said in answer to his assertion that prohibition was comparable to slavery, "Federal prohibition against importation of slaves was on the statute books for forty years before it became effective, yet you would upset a constitutional amendment after five years' trial.

"Your parallelism between slavery and prohibition strikes me as being somewhat warped. The logical groupings for comparison should have been Abolition vs. Slavery and Prohibition vs. the Liquor Traffic."

Taking issue with Dr. Butler's praise of the "rational, sensible and moral attempt" to deal with the liquor problem in the Province of Quebec by Government regulation of sales, Mrs. Seggerman declared: "As a money-making monopoly, the Quebec system is a success, but as a breeder of immorality it is the most vicious system in America." She asserted that social and economic conditions in Quebec were much inferior to those in Toronto under prohibition.

Replying to Dr. Butler's charge that "prohibition has nothing to do with temperance," Mrs. Seggerman said that pppractically all temperance societies favored the Eighteenth Amendment. "Are they," she asked, "and the great evangelical bodies of Christendom in America all wrong, and you and the outlawed traffic the only real exponents of temperance?

"If prohibition has nothing to do with the saloon or the liquor traffic, will you explain what stopped the outflow of upward of 150,000,000 gallons of whisky from 843 distilleries each year, and over two billion gallons of beer from 1,413 breweries? Of course, there is illicit traffic the same as other crimes, but the amount of liquor consumed is a small fraction of that drunk in former years.

"There is both Federal and State prohibition of the traffic in narcotic drugs. This is practically a twin law with that prohibiting traffic for beverage purposes of the drug alcohol, both requiring prescription of a licensed physician before they can lawfully be sold. This law is notoriously violated. Must it, therefore, be repealed?

"I am wondering upon what facts you base your claim that the Prohibition Amendment is 'the most immoral undertaking on which any Government ever embarked.' The Federal Government and many State Governments embarked on or protected the immoral undertaking of snatching men, women and children from their homes and selling them into slavery, and even compelled the officials of free States to return escaped slaves into bondage. Surely nothing could be more immoral, and it required a Constitutional Amendment to cure that immorality.

"Because wine is mentioned and approved in the Bible does not compel the people of later years and more scientific and sociological experience to permit it and its litter of evils to go on debauching the people. Polygamy was practiced in the olden times by many of the patriarchs and holy men of their day, but that does not justify repealing our laws against polygamy. As for wine for church sacraments, your plea is petty, for the law in no sense interferes with, but rather aids, in its distribution."

URGES A REAWAKENING OF JEWISH STUDENTS

Rabbi Goldstein Says Youth Needs Strengthening of Racial Consciousness.

Calling for "a Great Jewish reawakening" in the colleges of America, Rabbi Israel Goldstein declared last night that what is needed among the Jewish youth of America is "a strengthening of the Jewish consciousness." Dr. Goldstein spoke on "The Jewish College Student at Home and Abroad" at a special students' service held at Congregation B'nai Jeshurun, 257 West Eighty-eighth Street.

"From the Jewish standpoint," Rabbi Goldstein said, "the problem of the Jewish collegian is that of attaching his loyalty to Jewish life, so that the benefit of his college training may accrue not only to himself and to the State, but to the Jewish people as well. In recent years the elders have exerted themselves in the solution of this problem. Jewish student houses have been established, Jewish student congregations have been organized, rabbis and field workers have been placed on the college campus, and in several instances courses in Jewish history and religion have been provided for in the college curriculum. Their effort cannot but result in the strengthening of the Jewish consciousness among the collegiate youth.

"What is still lacking, however, is the spontaneous effort on the part of the Jewish collegians themselves," Rabbi Goldstein said. "A great deal is being done for them, but something ought to be done by them."

Referring to anti-Semitism in the colleges, Rabbi Goldstein said that American Jews were more fortunate than their European coreligionists in being able to study in a tolerant atmosphere. "In American colleges, the shadow of discrimination may not be altogether missing," she said, "but if there be a lurking prejudice against the Jewish student it is covert and not overt. The circumstance that no one would dare openly to profess such discrimination is a favorable indication that the conscience of America on the subject of racial and religious tolerance has not been corrupted, and still exerts sufficient pressure to daunt the would-be adversary."

The service was attended by delegations from several college fraternities and sororities and by a large group of students.

Trying to Revive Jewish Tabloid.

Efforts are being made to reorganize and resume the publication of The New Warheit, a Jewish tabloid daily, it was learned yesterday. A number of stockholders of the New Warheit Corporation, which controlled the paper, are said to be ready to invest an additional $40,000, under certain conditions, and that a bond and mortgage corporation is ready to make a loan of $45,000 cash for one year.

TRAVEL AT LIGHTEST TODAY AS 4 SHIPS GO

Regina and Zeeland to Leave for Europe—Vandyck and Orizaba Bound South.

PARIS OFF TOMORROW NIGHT

Will Carry Mr. and Mrs. Louis K. Liggett, Alfred P. Boehm and Prince de Bourbon-Parme.

The day after Christmas is the lightest sailing day of the year. Two steamships are leaving today for Europe and two for South America and Cuba.

Departing on the White Star liner Regina today for Queenstown and Liverpool are John Henson, representative of the Canadian National Railways, and W. F. Dineen, President of W. F. Dineen & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Others are:

Nelson Dougherty,
A. O. Marcus,
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Ratcliffe,
Alfred S. Rogers,
Ernest Simon,
J. H. McAvoy,
Miss M. H. Lavelle,
John S. Lowes,
D. W. Clark,
The Rev. Patrick Canning,
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pringle,
John Driscoll,
Miss Margaret Ellis,
Major and Mrs. S. Kirkland,
E. A. Lock.

Tse Red Star liner Zeeland, sailing today for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Antwerp, will have among her passengers:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mackey,
Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Fleming,
William E. Cope,
S. G. Rachat,
D. T. Laughlin,
Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Clow,
Miss L. Morrison,
Baty Hoffman,
Lachlan Gilfillan,
Paul Van Hauwaert.

Among the notables sailing at 9:30 P. M. tomorrow night on the French liner Paris for Plymouth and Havre are: Professor Pierre Lepaulle, French lawyer, professor of the American Law School; Miss Clara Haskil, pianist; Louis K. Liggett, head of the United Drug Company and the Liggett Drug Stores, with Mrs. Liggett; Harvey D. Gibson, President of the New York Trust Company; Mrs. Dr. A. H. Stern, physician, of New York; the Hon. Mariana Vida, Spanish Vice-Consul in New York; Captain Germain Seligman and André Seligman; Benjamin H. Connor, President of the American Chamber of Commerce of Paris, with Mrs. Connor; Alfred P. Boehm, Vice President of B. Altman & Co.; Mr. and Mrs. Armande Holz; Prince de Bourbon-Parme, who has been living, incognito, in northern Canada, under the name of Freeman; the Vicomtesse de Salignac-Fenelon; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kane; Mme. Elvira de Hidalgo and Mme. E. Berman, of the Metropolitan Opera, and A. A. Trowbridge of the International Educational Board, with Mrs. Trowbridge.

Also on board will be:

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bodenheimer,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenger,
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Mankiewtz,
Alfred de Pinna,
Mrs. M. L. Ritz,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Robbins,
Colonel F. B. Maltby,
Robert Ducas,
Colonel A. C. Thompson,
Mrs. Edwin Fairchild.

Among the New Yorkers sailing today for Barbados, Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo and Buenos Aires on the Lamport and Holt liner Vandyck are:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Palmer,
Mr. and Mrs. August Amaral,
Henry Gill,
William L. Perrin,
Ladly Perrin,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Lamb,
Mr. and Mrs. Max Rosenfeld,
Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Stott,
Samuel Swift,
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Dr. Octavio Terris,
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Barker,
A. J. G. Kerstens,
William W. Smith 2d,
Mrs. C. S. Gray and two daughters,
Mr. and Mrs. George D. Miller,
Ernest N. Weaver,
Conrado Barsotti,
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webster and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel K. Armstrong,
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Robert Mitchell,
John Shea,
Miss Lea Prescod,

On board the Ward liner Orizaba which sails today for Havana, are Ellis Altman, with E. Schreiber of the Long Island Railroad, and his daughter; Charles F. Ulrich and William E. Bennett of the American Smelting and Refining Company; Dr. and Mrs. Edward W. Markens, Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Strong, Dr. and Mrs. Ellis Bonime, Dr. and Mrs. M. Spielberger, Frank L. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kauder.

Among those on board who are returning home are Mr. and Mrs. Juan B. Rionda with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Dushkind, and Mrs. H. B. Iselin.

Also on board are:

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wagner,
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"BUD" FISHER IS SUED IN BREACH OF PROMISE

Miss Ada Shields Is Plaintiff—Cartoonist Married Countess on Oct. 24.

Miss Ada Shields, whose last known address was the Hotel Pennsylvania, has filed in the Supreme Court here a breach of promise suit for $50,000 against Harry Conway, better known as "Bud" Fisher, cartoonist. Her attorney, Clayton J. Heermance of 132 West Thirty-first Street, who made this announcement yesterday, said that notice of trial in January had been given, and also that Fisher had filed his answer to the action.

Fisher, who was divorced in 1917 from Pauline Welch, a vaudeville performer, married on Oct. 24 last the Countess Aedita de Beaumont, then a widow whose father-in-law was reputed to have been one of France's wealthiest noblemen. The Countess in 1922 won a Paris beauty contest. She and Fisher were married at sea. It is believed they are now in Florida.

Mr. Heermance said that although his client's complaint was "simple" in that it merely set forth that Fisher had promised to marry her and had not done so, there lay behind the legal statement "an interesting story." He declared she had known Fisher about a year, and that Miss Shields's beauty was of a sort to make even Countess de Beaumont take notice.

"She has a splendid case," Mr. Heermance continued, "and she will make an excellent impression upon a jury. She is quite sincere and was broken hearted when she heard of Fisher's marriage to the Countess. Miss Shields was the girl he left behind him."

Mr. Heermance said also that he was not sure whether Miss Shields was a widow or a divorcee and that he had not known where to find her since she checked out of the Hotel Pennsylvania a day or so ago.

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